

## It's News Here!

### Three G.H.S. Cagers Make Conference "Dream Team"

The Michigan Huron Shores Conference recently announced its most valuable team members for this past season, including Karen Hanson & Mary Beth Good of Grayling, named to the "most valuable" squad and Sherri Reed, who received honorable mention.

A total of 22 players from throughout the conference were named to the elite squad, one which included girls representing each of the eight teams in the northern Michigan conference.

Others named to the team included: St. Ignace-Sandy Holberg, Glenda Pemblo and Kay Colegrove; Charlevoix-Melinda Klooster, Sherri Selissin and Mel Kerridge; Boyne City-Becky Aimesbury, Dawn Tims and Linda Sarisin; Gaylord-Emily Hewitt and Sheila Parkinson; Petoskey-Cindy Okerlund, Becky Gingle and Sarah Russell; Cheboygan-Liz Driscoll, Olwyn Prova and Kim Wandrie; Rogers City-Colleen Hood and Holly Stone.

### Christmas Tree Vandalized

A Christmas tree in front of the Grayling Elementary School was victimized by vandals last Saturday night, who removed all the light bulbs from the tree. The tree is decorated annually by Special Education students, but even though the light theft occurred, bulbs were replaced and the tree strung to enhance the Holiday weekend. There's a "Scrooge", or scrooges, in every crowd, apparently.

### Middle School Yearbook Money Stolen

Even though thieves made off with \$575 in cash and checks from the Middle School, yearbooks will be delivered on schedule. Dr. Bill Diedrich, School Superintendent, reported that the heist occurred during school hours on December 13th and that City Police Chief Pete Stephan, investigating the incident, has some good leads that may lead to early apprehension of the individuals involved.

### 5840 Complaints Investigated By Sheriff's Department

Warrants are being sought today on a knifing incident that occurred in a mobile home in Grayling Mobile Estates last week which resulted in a Grayling man being treated for knife wounds at Mercy Hospital. According to Sheriff's Dept. deputies, they were called to the residence last Thursday and broke up a dispute which involved the victim.

Lt. Robert Ruddy, Sheriff's Dept., reported today that over 1000 more complaints were investigated by the agency in 1978 as opposed to last year. A total of 5840 complaints were answered during the year compared to 4780 last year.

The Sheriff's Dept., consisting of a total of 26 people, including support personnel, provides protection to Crawford County residents plus other protective services on a year-round basis here in Crawford County.

### Medical Office Classes offered at KCC

Kirtland Community College will offer two courses that will be of interest to persons seeking employment in medical and dental business offices as well as those currently employed in such positions. The courses will be offered during the Winter Semester, 1979, beginning the week of January 21.

Medical Business Office Procedures will be offered on Tuesday evenings from 7 to 9 p.m. This class will enable students to develop adequate working knowledge of general medical business office procedures. Specific functions and responsibilities of the receptionist, legal aspects, and communications will be covered. Special emphasis will be placed on insurance billing and client charges. The instructor for the course is currently employed as a medical office manager.

Medical Terminology will be offered from 12 Noon to 1:30 p.m. on Tuesdays and Thursdays, from January 23 for 10 weeks. This class is designed for allied health professionals and others who use medical vocabulary without extensive knowledge of anatomy and physiology.

Persons interested in these classes may call the Admissions Office at Kirtland at 275-5121 for more information and registration procedures.



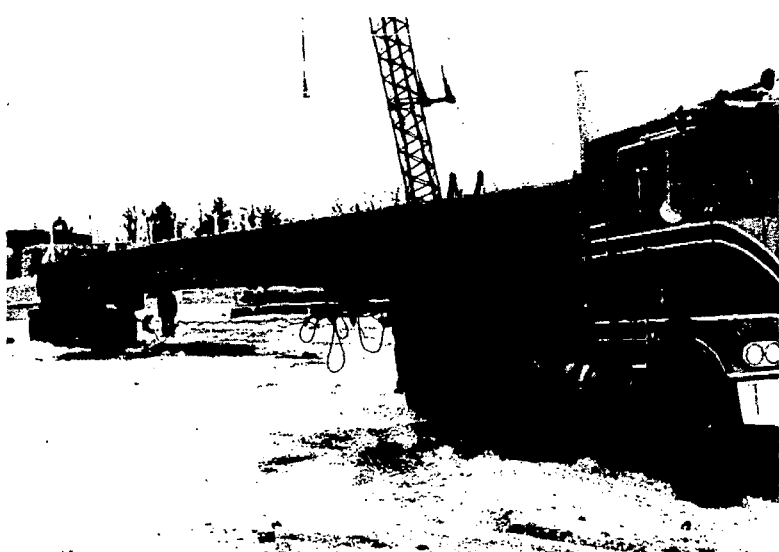
**SANTA CLAUS** made a pre-Christmas visit to Grayling last week to greet youngsters at the Legion Club (top), then took time off from his busy Holiday "toy-making" duties to pay a visit to the Moose Lodge (bottom), where all local children had a Christmas treat. (Joe Schrader photos)

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## State Law Prohibits Dumping Snow on Roadways by Citizens

A new state law designed to eliminate piled snow as a traffic hazard is in effect this winter. The Department of State Highways and Transportation said today.

Basically, it prohibits businesses and citizens from dumping snow on roadways and shoulders or piling it so high at driveway entrances that it obstructs the vision of motorists.

Under the law, enacted last spring, snow, ice or slush may not be removed from a driveway or other property and placed across a roadway or its shoulders. Snow piled near a driveway entrance must not obstruct the view of a motorist entering the roadway.

Pushing snow from a driveway to the opposite side of the road also is prohibited. "Citizens or hired snowplowing services usually will clear driveways after the highway crews have cleared the roadway and the shoulders," said John P. Woodford, the department director.

"The snowplowing vehicle moving back and forth across the roadway from the driveway in itself is unsafe, but the snow that this activity leaves on the pavement is spread down the roadway and makes a slippery spot that is hazardous and could be the cause of an accident."

Violation of the new law is a misdemeanor. Both property owners and persons hired to remove snow are responsible for any illegal snow removal activities.

In addition, any accidents caused by illegal snow removal will leave violators open to lawsuits for public liability and property damage.

Both the Highways and (See Prohibits on page 5)

## Our Weather

(Courtesy of Chuck Fick)

Dec.	HI	Lo	Snow
19	24	0	12.0
20	30	18	12.0
21	31	19	11.0
22	34	18	10.5
23	33	15	12.0
24	30	24	12.0
25	12	28	14.0

## Property Valuation and Assessment Course Offered by Kirtland Community College

A course in Property Valuation and Assessment Administration is being offered by Kirtland Community College beginning Thursday, January 25, 1979, from 6:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m. This course meets every Thursday thereafter for sixteen weeks in room 105 on the campus.

Property Valuation and Assessment is designed to assist individuals in preparing for the state administered examination for Assessor - Level I.

Many local government officials, real estate agents and individual citizens interested in knowing the process by which property is assessed have taken this highly informative course. Additional information and registration details may be obtained by telephoning the admissions office at the college at 517-275-5121.

## New Commissioners Attend Training

by Willard Bosserman, Co. Ext. Dir.

Five new commissioners from Crawford and Roscommon Counties plus 2 incumbents attended the workshop for new county commissioners Monday, December 18. The meeting was held in Gaylord, Michigan with about 100 commissioners in attendance.

It was sponsored by Michigan State University and Michigan Association of Counties.

Sid Owinge, President of the Northern Michigan Association of Counties, encouraged the new commissioners to be active in Northern Association as well as the Michigan Association of Counties.

Kenneth Verberg, Institute for Community Development explained how county government fit into federal, state and other

local governments. "Since The Great Society", he said, "the federal government is collecting more tax dollars and redistributing to state and local governments. Local government is collecting a lower percent of the taxes collected."

Gil Wanger, Legal Counsel, Michigan Association of Counties handed each participant an outline for board organization. Dr. Alvin House, State and Local Government Specialist, MSU described some of the county departments and presented each participant with a list of county departments. The list gave a short description of the department and told of their function.

Attending from Crawford County were Claude Halstead, John Miller, Jackie Bonkowski, Andie Neilson, Larry Mattis and Mathew Bidvia. Lynn Sohn attended from Roscommon County.

## County Building Employees Honor Hunter

The Crawford Co. Courthouse employees held a joint Christmas dinner and retirement party for Lawrence "Bud" Hunter at the Arrowhead Inn on Friday evening, December 22. About 40 employees and their spouses were on hand to wish Bud well in his retirement.

Wanda Cardinal gave a testimonial speech to Bud and expressed the envy of his fellow employees while he is basking in the sunny south, but also wishing him well and expressing their regret in his leaving. He was presented with a plaque from his fellow employees. Good luck, Bud, in your retirement!

## Mike Nelson Earns BS Degree With Honors

Michael D. Nelson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Kitchen, received his Bachelor of Arts & Sciences in Mathematics, December 17, 1978 at Tarleton State University, which is a branch of Texas A&M. He enrolled there in January, 1976.

Mike graduated with highest honors and has received a teaching fellowship at the University of Texas, where he will be a teaching assistant in the Calculus Department, while working on his Master's Degree.

Jeannette Kitchen, her daughter Becky Lawe, and Mike's Aunt - Barbara Verlinde, and Craig Verlinde from Lawton, Oklahoma attended the graduation ceremony in Stephenville, Texas. Jeannette, Becky and Barbara returned home on Monday.

## State Police Urge Winter Storm Precautions

Homeowners and motorists in Michigan are advised by the State Police emergency service division to take some winter storm precautions now in preparation for any foul weather emergency similar to that which struck the state in January and February this year.

Weather advisories are disseminated by government units and relayed by com- (See State Police on page 6)

## Babson's 1979 Forecast

By Babson's Reports Inc., Wellesley Hills, Mass., December 28, 1978. A year ago, our forecast for 1978 anticipated further progress on the business front. Despite a long coal strike, an advance to peak levels of interest rates, and the appalling decline in the value of the U. S. dollar against the stronger currencies of the world, general business did actually display more staying power than had seemed attainable. Unfortunately, the specter of inflation — about which we had warned — also made its presence felt during the past year. This cruel "hidden tax" proved to be a dual-edged sword: On the one hand, the inflation psychology prompted buying of durable goods and homes in expectation of higher prices, thus helping to sustain the powerful business pace; on the other hand, inflation was instrumental in generating the flight from the dollar and the consequent poor performance of the stock market. So, 1978 saw public confidence undermined by anxiety over the twin forces of inflation and soaring interest rates even while there were healthy advances in industrial activity, employment, personal income, and corporate profits.

### 1979 — SOME LETDOWN FOR BUSINESS

As 1979 makes its debut, the present upturn in the business cycle is already considerably longer than the average life span of this nation's expansion phases. This does not automatically — and of itself — mean that a trend reversal is imminent, but a cyclical upturn which has lasted 44 months is obviously vulnerable. After careful consideration of all relevant factors, the staff of Babson's Reports predicts that the American economy will slip into a recession in 1979. Until early fall, it appeared that enough business vitality existed to sustain the economic upswing through the better part of 1979, or at least to avert a recessionary setback in the course of the year.

The situation was changed, however, when the Administration and the Federal Reserve took radical measures to dampen the forces of inflation and to arrest the weakness of the dollar. The chief steps were the further boost in interest rates and the tightening of credit, plus the implication there might be further moves if necessary. With interest rates extremely high, prospects are obviously unfavorable for such economic barometers as inventory accumulation, home building and general construction, business capital expenditures, and consumer purchases of automobiles and other high priced items.

### DEEP, PROLONGED RECESSION UNLIKELY

Though a recession is now more a distinct likelihood than a mere possibility, its probable severity is a matter of debate. A good deal will depend not only on how much additional pressure the nation's leadership will bring to bear upon inflationary forces but also on its degree of determination. To back off too soon or to fail to administer enough pressure could allow inflation to regain momentum quickly, perhaps necessitating subsequent measures far more harmful to the economy than a job properly done at this time.

With the economy at its present extremely high level, the anti-inflation game plan will not produce traumatic consequences. Babson's foresees, instead, a winding down in the business tempo of sufficient intensity and duration to qualify technically as a recession — that is, at least two successive calendar quarters of backtracking in national output. We look for the real gross national product (output of goods and services (ex inflation) to record slippages in the second and third quarters of 1979 after a fairly decent opening quarter, with a recovery beginning sometime in the final three months. Should the scenario work out this way, the 1979 recession could as well be described as a "no growth" period, mild in comparison with other recessions in our past history. Of course, there is bound to be some disruption, but this would be a small price to pay compared with what might happen if inflation were allowed to run unchecked.

### PLENTY OF WORRIES — HOPES TOO

There may be as many reasons for public uneasiness in 1979 as there were in 1978. Prices will rise further — though not as sharply as in the past year — and there will naturally be concern about the effectiveness of the battle against inflation. Also, the diminution of business vitality will spawn fears about possible layoffs reduced

(See Babson's on page 5)



**THE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL LIBRARY** was the recipient of \$800, thanks to the efforts of students who sold raffle tickets over a 2-week period for a quilt, made and donated for the project by Shirley McPherson. Top class winners in the fund-raising event were the fourth-graders in Marie Akers Class, who raised \$78. Mrs. Gerald Timmins was the lucky winner. Shown here is the 4th grade class displaying the quilt. For their efforts, they won a pizza party. (Joe Schrader photos)

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## Welcome Holiday Breather Vikes Lose to Hurons, 65-60



**JVS IN ACTION**—Grayling's Billy Roach goes high in the air to tap the ball away from a Huron in the team's devastating, 70-19 defeat over Rogers City, Viking center, Kevin LaMonte (#55), gets prepared to go to work! (Joe Schrader photo)

Despite a 25-point effort by Vike forward Geoff Standish, Grayling dropped another VHS-conference clash to the Hurons of Rogers City last Thursday night, here at home, 65-60. Rogers City took a 32-27 halftime lead, then maintained control of the contest, scoring 16 and 17 points in the last two quarters of the second half to preserve its victory.

Steve Olsen chipped in with 17 points. Jeff Parkinson hit for 12. Ken Heisel added 4 and Mike Christman 2, to aid the Viking's offensive cause. Mark Pilarski led the Rogers City offensive attack with 17 points.

Before the main event, however, the JV squad, coached by Warren "Butch" Hayes, demolished the junior Hurons by a score of 70-17. John Juntila led the scoring for Grayling with 17 points and Scott Hale chipped in with 15.

### La Leche League Meeting Notice

If you have considered breastfeeding your baby, but have questions about this womanly art, contact the Roscommon La Leche League.

This month's meeting, "The Art of Breastfeeding and Overcoming Difficulties" will be held on Thursday, January 4 at 7:30 p.m. at 8085 N. Everett Rd., Roscommon.

The discussion for the evening will include encouragement and information on how to establish a happy nursing relationship.

Expectant mothers are encouraged to attend the series of meetings before the baby arrives. Nursing babies are always welcome.

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by Heriuf Moshier  
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### Bits O' Talk

by Fay Bovee

Janet Papendick was met by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kip Papendick, at Metro Airport on December 19th on her return from London, England, where she had been in Winchester doing her student teaching. She missed her CMU graduation on December 16th so the group of 20 who were in England held a mock graduation ceremony at the Theater's Centre in Winchester before leaving there. Janet is home for an indefinite stay. While Janet was in England, they spent every week-end touring with the group, and also spent ten days traveling through Scotland, N. Ireland, Ireland, Wales, and four days in Paris, France. She visited Holly Knibbs one weekend.

Mr. Papendick and wife and five children, of Gurnee, Ill., are spending from Saturday to Wednesday over Christmas with his parents, Gene and Joe Papendick. The Papendick family gathered together at the Clarence Papendick home on Elm Street for their Christmas Eve.

Kraft's Korner is open from 9:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday on Lakewood Street across from the Senior Citizens Center.

There was a special celebration at the Jerry and Wilda McClain home on December 22nd when she was able to bring her mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Patch, home from Mercy Hospital for the day. Her father, Clare Patch, who now resides at AuSable Acres, and her mother celebrated their 55th wedding anniversary which fell on December 23rd. Also here for the occasion were Wilda's brother Edward and wife Lois, of Roseville, and their sons, Tim Patch of Clanton and Tom Patch and wife, Sandy, and two girls, of Kentucky. Also present were the McClain's son, Paul, and a granddaughter, Lori McClain. The family celebrated both the anniversary and Christmas. Best wishes to Clare and Elizabeth Patch.

### Engagement

Mr. and Mrs. Jack DuBrava of Hamburg, Iowa announce the engagement of their daughter, Sharon Rose to Rev. Charles M. Weiman, son of Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Weiman of Grayling.

Rev. Weiman is pastor of the Ogden Iowa Free Methodist Church, and a graduate of East Jackson High School and Spring Arbor College. Miss DuBrava is a senior at Hamburg High School. The wedding has been set for October 12, 1979.

### First Baptist Church News

About thirty friends attended the Annual Adult Christmas Party held at the Church. Games were played, gifts exchanged, and a delicious meal was served. All reported having a nice time.

It was also a going away party for Mr. and Mrs. Leo Post. They were given a lovely plaque. A poem, written and read by Mrs. Pauline, was very good.

Our Christmas program was held on Sunday evening. A very good crowd was present. The children did very well and the program was well received. Everyone received a gift. Merry Christmas and a Happy and Prosperous New Year to one and all.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Pratt and family have left for Iowa to spend their Christmas vacation with Mrs. Pratt's mother and other relatives.

Several from the church have left for their winter in Florida.

Mrs. Evelena Allen, Reporter

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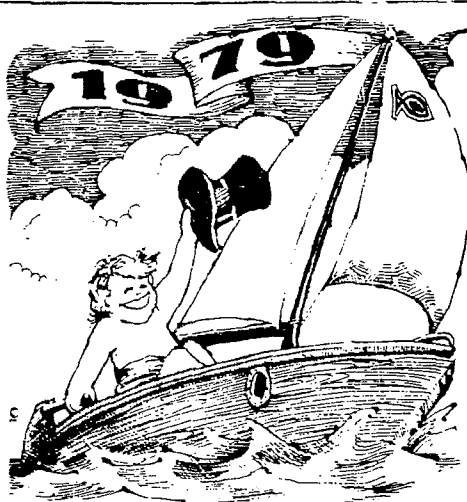
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## From Our Corner ...



We are going to have to apologize for our corner this week ... there was too much Santa Claus ... too many Sundays ... and now we find ourselves at work and it's Tuesday morning, and no corner ... And only today is left to put the final touches on this week's issue ... So with your acceptance ... we will try and do better next week, even though we again face a short week ... at least Santa has returned to the North Pole



Hope you'll have a  
swinging year  
be-ribboned  
with good luck!

By the way, for those interested ... T. J. and Stef and family spent a couple days with us so Santa could visit our house ... and we received a call from California and were told Amber had Santa call on her ... May the New Year bring only happiness into your lives ... This wish to you, from our corner ...

## Interesting Events In Grayling 23 Years Ago

INTERESTING ITEMS OF NEWS GATHERED FROM THE FILES OF THE AVANCEALCHE OF 23 YEARS AGO

### 23 Years Ago December 29, 1955

Mr. and Mrs. Larry McNamara spent Christmas day in Gladwin with Larry's uncle and aunt, the Frank McNamaras.

The Misses Amber and Burnis Meech returned to Hidden Valley Ski Club at Gaylord, December 25th for the ski season.

The Larry Baumann family are spending the Christmas holidays with her mother, Mrs. John R. Green of Saginaw.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Smith and family left Thursday for Lake Linden to spend about a week with Mrs. Smith's sister, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Dupuis, and mother, Mrs. Gust Soderberg.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Jensen and son, Chris, of Detroit arrived Friday to stay until after New Years with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thorvald Sorenson. They also are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Jensen during their stay.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Rowland visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Rowland, Sr., in Vassar on Monday.

Mrs. Holger Schmidt left Wednesday of last week to spend the holidays until after New Years with her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Langlots, and son, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Schmidt in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. John Sojka and son, Paul, of Centerline arrived Friday to visit her mother, Mrs. Ernest Borchers, and Don, Mr. Sojka returned home Monday and will come back Friday to be with his family for New Years, after which they will all return to Centerline. Mr. and Mrs. George Granger of Big Rapids were also Christmas day guests of the Borchers.

Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Vincent of Bradenton, Fla., arrived Friday to spend the Christmas holidays with their daughters, Miss Marlene, and Mr. and Mrs. Robert McClain. They flew from Florida to Midland, and drove up from there.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack McClain of Grand Rapids were guests of the Floyd F. McClains from Friday until Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Papendick spent X-mas weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Papendick.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted McEvers spent Christmas day and Monday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lincoln Hine in Dansville.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Slusser and family left Monday to stay until New Year's at the home of his parents, The Russell Slussers in Vaughnsville, Ohio.

The Wilfred Mathews family spent Christmas day and Monday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Thoringtons, in Kalkaska.

### 46 Years Ago December 29, 1932

Born to Mr. and Mrs. William Laurant on Dec. 14th, a son.

Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Darveau spent Sunday in Alpena visiting Mr. and Mrs. Milo Thorne and daughter, Jean.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Roberts entertained Mr. and Mrs. Charels White and Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Hoffman of Lansing over Christmas. The ladies are sisters of Mrs. Roberts.

Mr. and Mrs. Einer Rasmussen of Marlett, and Mr. and Mrs. Leo Jembert and daughter, Joyce of Detroit spent Monday here making the rounds among their relatives and friends, extending Christmas greetings.

Guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Al J. Joseph for the holidays were Mrs. Alvin Burch and son, Kenneth of Traverse City, Sam Joseph of Detroit, and Mr. and Mrs. F.L. Rockwell and son, Jimmy, of Gaylord.

The Christmas spirit was somewhat marred when our delightful covering of snow was completely washed out by the heavy rains of Thursday, Friday and Saturday. There wasn't enough snow left with which to make a sizeable snowball on Christmas Day.

Charles Wylie arrived Sat. from Olivet College to spend a week with his mother, Mrs. Floyd Goshorn.

Miss Mildred Corwin of Lansing is visiting her par-

ents, Mr. and Mrs. Nels Corwin, during the holidays. The Misses Hazel and Margaret Cassidy left Wed. to be the guests of Miss Mildred Towsley in Detroit over New Year's.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Jackson and sons, Robert and Harry of Saginaw are spending a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred R. Welch.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hilton of Ann Arbor were guests of the latter's parents, the Nels Corwins during the Christmas holidays.

Earl Gierke is home from Central State Teachers College, Mt. Pleasant, for the holiday vacation and is spending part of the time assisting County Clerk A. M. Peterson at the Court House.

Mrs. Alfred Hanson and Miss Marie Brown were in Bay City Wednesday on business.

Edmond Lozon has leased the T. E. Douglas garage next to the Hotel Annex and says he is all set for auto repairing. Ed is a hard worker and gives his customers good service.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Stillwagon, who are caretakers at the Arnold Boutell place on the North Branch, left Wednesday for Foley, Ala., to be gone for the winter, they will look after the Boutell quail ranch in Alabama.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Borchers and Mr. and Mrs. Roy McEvers spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. A. Madill in Frederic.

Miss Elsie Burke who is nursing at Grayling hospital, and her friend, Ernie Larson, spent Christmas Eve with her mother, Mrs. John Burke.

### Editor's Quote Book

When I was a boy of 16, my father was so ignorant I could hardly stand to have the old man around. But when I got to be 21, I was astounded at how much he had learned in five years.  
Mark Twain

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## The Bible Speaks

From Calvary Baptist Church

### Why The Rattlesnake Cuffs?

Mark 16:17, 18

You may remember reading an article in the Bay City Times entitled, "Worshippers handle rattlesnakes, drink poison after dancing, singing." One elder, Dewey Chafin, whose sister died handling a snake 15 years ago, claimed to have been bitten 63 times and described the bites as follows: "I can't describe the pain, all I can say is a loathsome, ain't nothing compared to it." Tim McCoy was reported as saying, "It was the worst pain I've ever experienced."

Now let us read the scripture these men used to justify snake handling as part of their worship. And these signs shall follow them that believe: In my name shall they cast out devils, they shall speak with new tongues; they shall take up serpents; and if they drink any deadly thing, it shall not hurt them; they shall lay hands on the sick, and they shall recover." Mark 16:17, 18.

Notice the contrast between the experience of these men and the promises of God's Word? These people experience terrible pain and even death from snake poison, but the Bible promised immunity from all poison, "it shall not hurt them." We have the same promise for the healing of the sick by the laying on of hands "and they shall recover." There was certainly of success promised with these sign gifts. Read a Bible account of one fulfillment, of the apostle Paul being bitten accidentally by a poison snake while gathering firewood. He simply shook the snake off his hand into the fire

and "felt no harm" Acts 28:5. In fact, he didn't even swell, Acts 28:6.

A proper interpretation of Mark 16 within the context is essential to avoid cult type responses. Mark 16 gives not only the promise of the 5 gifts in verses 17 and 18, but also their purpose of the 5 sign-gifts was to confirm the Word of God. This was necessary because the New Testament was not yet complete and these miracles proved the message of the first century apostles to be authentic.

When the New Testament was completed and confirmed by these sign-miracles and the infant church began to mature in faith, these sign-gifts ceased. History supports the absence of these sign-gifts for nearly 2,000 years of orthodox Christian practice. One should cautiously examine the many 20th century claims to a resurrection of these same sign gifts.

It would seem certainly hard to practice these 5 sign-gifts today without seriously calling into question the confirmation of God's Word which has been already settled for nearly 2,000 years. Practice of such sign-gifts would also seem to imply a low level of spiritual growth and development within a local church which should have matured beyond such things.

A faith which needs more than the Word of God, is a faith in trouble or a faith based on uncertainty. (adv.)

Pastor Barnett

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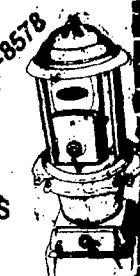
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MARY KESTELOOT, Acting Director  
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**The First Hundred Years**—Grayling's Centennial book, has had another printing due to the numerous requests received for same. Copies are available for \$6.00 from the Avalanche Office, Corneli Realty, The Nickelodeon, or Fochette's Party Store. For mail orders, add .50c for postage and handling. 9/14/77

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**SNOW REMOVAL BIDS** are being accepted by the Crawford County Department of Social Services until 5:00 p.m. on January 5, 1979. Specifications and proposal forms for snow removal at the new facility, 500 Milltown Corner, Grayling, Michigan, may be picked up at the Social Services Office, 303 James Street, Grayling, Michigan, on weekdays between 8:00 - 12:00 and 1:00 - 5:00. Snow removal period will be from such time as new facility is occupied (approximately 1/31/79) until March 31, 1979. 21-28

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## Prohibits

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Transportation Department and Michigan State Police encourage property owners to make special plans for snow removal from their property. They recommended that snow be pushed away from the roadway and to the sides of the driveway for its full length.

Large businesses may find it necessary to truck snow from their parking lots.

For a charge to be filed, a police officer must witness the violation, or a citizen may file a complaint.

"The careless dumping or plowing of snow into the roadway can present a serious traffic hazard," said Col. Gerald L. Hough, state police director. "This new law should help control dangerous snow-removal practices."



## Road Commission Minutes

December 15, 1978

A regular meeting of the Crawford County Road Commission held in their office in Grayling, Chairman Millikin presiding. Present were: Chairman Millikin, Commissioners Ervin E. Richter and Grover Cason, Manager Charles Fox, Engineer Ron Herneke, Secretary Lorna Bernard. Absent, none.

At this time the bids were opened for scrap and used trucks.

The bids were as follows:

<b>Truck No. 17</b>	Larry's Salvage	\$300.00	Douglas Dosson	\$200.00
<b>Truck No. 21</b>	Don Welser	203.00	Larry Wakeley	\$100.00
<b>Truck No. 22</b>	Larry's Salvage	35.00	Larry Wakeley	50.06
<b>Truck No. 23</b>	Larry's Salvage	500.00	Richard Thatcher	700.00
<b>Truck No. 24</b>	J. Nichols	1,200.00	Floyd Millikin	500.00
<b>Truck No. 25</b>	D. Welser	327.00	Fred Anderson	501.00
<b>Truck No. 26</b>	Larry's Salvage	500.00	D. Welser	403.00
<b>Truck No. 27</b>	Floyd Millikin	600.00	Fred Anderson	501.00
<b>Truck No. 28</b>	Larry's Salvage	400.00	D. Welser	326.00
<b>Truck No. 29</b>	Floyd Millikin	600.00	Fred Anderson	401.00
<b>Truck No. 30</b>	Larry's Salvage	650.00	D. Welser	612.00
<b>Truck No. 31</b>	Larry Wakeley	673.39	Fred Anderson	3,151.00
<b>Truck No. 32</b>	Larry's Salvage	15.00	Larry Wakeley	50.00
<b>Truck No. 33</b>	Fred Anderson	24.00		
<b>Tractor #74</b>	Larry's Salvage	300.00	D. Welser	353.00
<b>Tractor #75</b>	D. Amstutz	150.00	Larry Wakeley	563.00
<b>Tractor #76</b>	Douglas Dosson	220.00	Fred Anderson	451.00
<b>Tractor #77</b>	Carl Shiveley	578.00		
<b>Roper Pump</b>	D. Welser	46.00	Larry Wakeley	3.00
<b>Roper Pump</b>	D. Dosson	10.00	Carl Shiveley	2.00
<b>Scrap</b>	Larry Wakeley	159.07	Larry Moon	110.00
<b>Scrap</b>	James Hoag	461.00		

The bids are to be reviewed and decided on December 20, 1978 at a regular meeting.

Ervin Kren from Graham, Brinhall Co. appeared before the Board regarding Timber Bridges.

The Board discussed the continuation of the State Maintenance Contract with the State Highway and Transportation under the 1976-78 contract until the 1979 contract is ready to be approved. All changes in the contract are to be Retroactive to January 1, 1979. Ervin Richter made a motion to accept the contract under these terms, seconded by Grover Cason. All voted in favor, motion carried.

The Board discussed the meeting that was attended by Chairman Millikin, Ervin Richter and Manager Charles Fox in Grand Rapids, Sunday through Tuesday.

Ron Herneke discussed the preliminary plans to the new building addition. Ervin Richter made a motion to go ahead with the project, seconded by Grover Cason. All in favor, motion carried.

At this time the Board broke for lunch and convened at 1:00. The Board discussed the bids that were opened the previous week regarding the trucks and signs. After all of the specs were reviewed by the Manager and Board, Grover Cason made a motion to accept the bid from Bay Truck Sales in Bay City, Michigan for all four trucks, 1 1/2 ton pickup, 1 shop truck and 2 single axle dump trucks for a total of \$63,995.00. These trucks were bid closest to the specs. Motion seconded by Roy Millikin, all voted in favor, motion carried.

Ervin Richter made a motion to accept the Bid from U.S. Standard Co. for Post and Signs. Motion seconded by Roy Millikin. All voted in favor, motion carried. The low bid for the signs was \$7,207.50.

At this time Grover Cason made a motion to close the door for a personnel meeting, seconded by LeRoy Millikin. All voted in favor, motion carried.

After the doors were opened the Board instructed Charles Fox to pick from the applications three people for interviews for the janitor's job. LeRoy Millikin also expressed his feelings regarding Dobra Hesel from the office for the job. The Board did not make a decision at this time.

There being no further business Ervin Richter made a motion to adjourn, seconded by Grover Cason. All voted in favor, motion carried, meeting adjourned.

LeRoy Millikin, Chairman  
Lorna Bernard, Secretary

## Babson's Forecast

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job openings, and less hefty pay checks because of curtailments in overtime and shorter workweeks. In a year chock-full of key labor contract bargainings, the threat of strikes will be much in evidence. There could, of course, be some optimistic influences. If anti-inflation efforts make some headway, for example, the status of the dollar could improve, lifting the confidence of investors and businessmen.

### GROSS NATIONAL PRODUCT

Gross national product — on the basis of current dollars — will undoubtedly trend higher, owing principally to inflation. But the gain will be substantially less than that of 1978. Activity in the credit-dependent sectors of the economy will slow, and government spending for most of the twelve months ahead will be more restrained than in past recessions, reflecting the new-found concern of the electorate with paring public spending and achieving tax relief. How long this attitude will last under recession pressures remains to be seen, and especially the effects upon the country's legislators at all levels. Though the economy may stutter during some of 1979, the real GNP (with inflation factored out) still ought to be able to manage a sliver of an increase of about 2% for the year as a whole.

### INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION

Despite price inflation along a broad front and the sequence of step-ups in borrowing costs in 1978, the urge to act before prices advanced even further brought sales of cars and houses last year to a higher level than one would have thought likely. Since consumer demand in these — and a number of other — fields represented at least to some degree an advance siphoning from 1979 markets and the incurring of debt in the process, the task of duplicating last year's results seems formidable. With interest rates now even higher and credit supplies tighter, the task for the next twelve months will be even more arduous. Babson's forecast for industrial production in 1979, therefore, is for a moderate — around 2% — backslide from 1978 levels. Strong showings in output of transportation equipment, military goods, and computer equipment — plus a rebound in coal mining — should help to prevent a more painful slump in total industrial production.

### BUSINESS INVENTORIES

The economy will not receive any upward impetus from business inventory accumulation during much of 1979. Management's thinking on this matter will reflect the high cost of borrowed money, while the need to stockpile will diminish as industrial activity slackens. There are, of course, bound to be sporadic inventory build-ups owing to possible labor disputes, but these will give way to liquidations once the danger is over. For the coming year, the key consideration is that the country will not be confronted with an economic adjustment either caused by or intensified by top-heavy inventory positions. The need to liquidate redundant inventory holdings has spawned many a cyclical business down-phase in the past. But during the last three and a half years, businessmen have by and large kept their inventory positions lean. So, while inventory policies will not impart much stimulus to business in '79, neither will they drag it down.

### BUSINESS CAPITAL EXPENDITURES

Business outlays for new plant and equipment lagged markedly in the early stages of the economic advance that began in the spring of 1975. This was perfectly normal since there was an abundance of productive capacity at that time. Over the past two years, however, capital expenditures have gained momentum as climbing production rates have increasingly strained plant facilities. Rising operating costs and the exigencies of complying with environmental quality regulations have also spurred spending for more efficient equipment. But the up-spurt in the cost of borrowed funds has adverse implications for capital investments. For 1979, the staff of Babson's Reports expects only a modest increment instead of another smart increase — perhaps amounting to 3% in real terms and about 10% with inflation included. Yet, outlays will still run at a brisk tempo, sustained by hefty backlogs.

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### Frederic News

by Arlein Kesby

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rivers of Frederic are spending Christmas with their daughter, Sandra, of Walled Lake on the 23rd, then on the 25th they will celebrate Christmas with their son, Robert Rivers and family of Dearborn. Sandra Rivers will be leaving for Florida to spend Christmas with her friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Williams are having Christmas dinner on the 22nd, guests are Dick and Carol Williams and family; son, Lorn Williams of Grayling and Sharon Alma of Frederic.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Brandes and son, Paul, of Frederic are spending the Christmas Holidays with her parents. Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Sager of Detroit and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Brandes of Ypsilanti.

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## LOVELLS TOWNSHIP NOTICE

THE REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING OF THE LOVELLS TOWNSHIP BOARD HAS BEEN CHANGED FROM TUESDAY, JANUARY 9, 1979, TO MONDAY, JANUARY 8, 1979 AT 7 P.M. AT THE LOVELLS TOWNSHIP HALL.

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## NOTICE

### CHANGE IN MEETING DATE

The next meeting of the South Branch Township Board, scheduled to be held on January 9, 1979 has been re-scheduled for January 16, 1979 at 7:30 p.m. in the Township Hall.

South Branch Township  
Mary M. Mollon, Clerk

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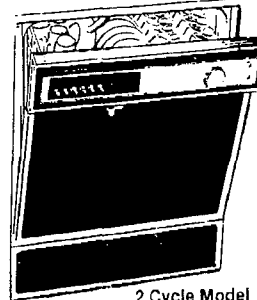
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## Camp Shawono Activities

Members present: Sandy Millikin, Darlene Rowan, Bruce Haines, Carole Wieber, and Dick Wieber. Camper representatives: Rob, Doug, Al, Tom & Dean.

Mr. Haines gave the statistics for November. 44 boys on roster at beginning of November-9 new boys admitted - 6 released - end of November 47 boys on roster, with 7 on LOA, 39 in camp, 1 truant. Average length of stay of boys released during month was 9.25 months. 4 truanties in November, 3 returned and one at large yet, 22 home visits were approved, 3 boys passed their G.E.D. tests. 4 boys are being admitted this week and 2 scheduled for admittance next week, which will bring the camp to near capacity. The GED program is more successful this year than last, with more boys completing and passing the tests this year and less failures. Mr. Haines remarked that this was an indication that the volunteer teacher program was very successful and appreciated.

A Christmas party for boys and staff was discussed. With such a short time to get preparation made, the council would do the best they could to round up some entertainment and schedule a party, perhaps getting donations of an artificial tree and decorations for same, as a real tree is not allowed.

Mr. Wieber announced that he had contacted Bear Archery regarding the arrows needed for the archery program and that they were temporarily out of stock, but they would send us some as soon as they were in full production in their new location.

Mr. Wieber also announced that it had snowed before the boys could get the ski park cleaned up but that they would still be used to help groom slopes and clean up during the ski season in exchange for free skiing privileges, as in past years.

There was a general discussion on ideas for community projects which the boys could be of assistance. The boys were asked to get some ideas from their dorms and present them at the next meeting.

Mr. Haines said that the Grayling State Bank had made arrangements for the annual dinner they give to the boys each Christmas to be held December 13th this year. The boys always enjoy this event and the Camp would like to thank the Bank staff for their generosity.

The boys told about a letter they are forming for all the boys to sign to be sent to Ron Moore who have a christian contemporary rock concert for them, with a friend who was a bass player named Bill Allen. Mr. George Morse, Counselor at camp was responsible for getting this concert set up and all the boys were greatly enthused about it and enjoyed it.

The plates for the brochures have been found and are ready to turn over to the printers. Again, they are being donated by Bear Archery.

The boys reported on how dorm problems are being handled by themselves as dorm representatives.

Different activities were talked about for adding to recreation program in camp.

The next awards banquet will be held in January so the council members are to work on lining up a speaker for the program. The date to be set at the next meeting. The boys were asked for suggestions on the type of speaker they would like to have talk to them and their various suggestions.

The next meeting of the council will be on January 2nd.

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## Court OK's Gen-Tel Rate Increase

The Michigan Public Service Commission, acting on the instructions of the Ingham County Circuit Court, has ordered General Telephone to increase basic rates slightly, according to Donald Gibbs, vice president-revenue requirements.

Effective December 20th, rates for residential customers were increased from 3 to 5 cents per month and rates for business customers went up 7 to 18 cents per month, depending on the type of service, Gibbs said. The increases are calculated to allow the company to recover approximately \$260,300 annually.

The rate revision stems from an appeal filed by the company on parts of a 1977 MPSC rate order. That order reduced General Telephone rates by \$2.3 million. The MPSC has appealed the present order and General Telephone has been instructed to collect the additional rates under bond subject to refund.

### CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Sun., Dec. 31: New Year's Party, Moose Lodge, 10 p.m. until 2.  
Sun., Dec. 31: Watch Night Service, First Baptist Church of Frederic, 9 p.m. until 12 M.  
Sat., Jan. 13: District Meeting, Moose Lodge 1162.

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## TURN ON



## Bits O' Talk

by Fay Bovee

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Thomson and Ronnie spent a couple of days in Ann Arbor recently where they went for Ronnie's check-up. Ronnie came through the tests very well and the family is pleased with the results.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Dawson and daughter, Sara, of Cadillac, spent the holiday visiting his parents, the DeVere Dawsons and her parents, Jack Feldhauser at Mercy Hospital and Mrs. Dorothy LaMarre, of Roscommon.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hoed of Dunedin, Florida were met by the John Linendoll family at the City airport on Monday, Dec. 18, and they will spend until New Year's day visiting their family. Jim and Joyce Koika will take them back to the airport that day.

Krafty Korners is open from 9:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday on Lawndale Street across from the Senior Citizens Center.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave LaGuire and daughter, Amy, will be here on Thursday to spend the day with the Charles Ficks.

Mr. and Mrs. William Eldridge of Rochester returned home after spending several days in Grayling with their daughter and her family. Their grandson Jeffrey, returned to Rochester with them to spend his Christmas vacation. His grandparents plan to take him and his cousins Michael and Dayna Hubbard, to Greenfield Village to see the Christmas decorations and take the sleigh ride. Also in Grayling to spend the holidays were their daughter Cindee and her husband, Frank Kalinski, of Ulica.

## Hot Lunch Menu

Jan. 1 through Jan. 5  
Monday: No School-New Year's Day

Tuesday: Hamburgers/Buns  
Relishes, Buttered Corn,  
Chilled Mixed Fruit.

Wednesday: Spanish Rice,  
Buttered Peas, Hot Rolls-  
Butter, Chilled Peas.

Thursday: Turkey Gravy-  
Whipped Potatoes, Jello-  
Fruit, Bread & Butter.

Friday: Fishwiches, Tartar  
Sauce, Buttered Green  
Beans, Chilled Peaches.

Milk is served with all meals.  
Menu is subject to change  
without notice.

## YOUR WEEK AHEAD By DAMIS

Forecast Period - 12/31 - 1/6/79

**ARIES** Mental faculties are keenly intuitive. Spiritual inspiration brings about a subtle change in outlook.

**TAURUS** There could be news of an inheritance, or perhaps it's a favorable business venture. Guard against fraud.

**GEMINI** Telepathic interchanges with mate or partner bring a better understanding of the other's needs.

**MOONCHILD** An active imagination provides solutions for problems that come up on the job. Be mindful of a sound diet.

**LEO** A romantic partner brings an air of mystery into your life. Things are not as they seem.

**VIRGO** Look for hidden conditions if you are thinking of buying a new home. Surface appearances are deceiving sometimes.

**LIBRA** Caution is urged in the signing of any contract or written agreement. Read the fine print.

**SCORPIO** There may be an element of good luck in money making matters. At least on the day dreaming level.

**SAGITTARIUS** Unconscious impulses bring inspiration leading to Nov. 22-Dec. 21 creativity in music or another art form.

**CAPRICORN** Rewarding work having to do with hospitals or religious institutions seems likely.

**AQUARIUS** Be alert. A false sense of loyalty or sympathy for friends can lead you down the garden path.

**PISCES** Shady or dishonest professional dealings will be a backfire. Subtle changes bring exciting happenings.

## State Police

[Continued from page 1]

mercial broadcast media to alert state residents and visitors as emergency forecasts indicate, said Capt. Peter Basolo, division commander.

Residents and visitors are strongly urged to heed such advisories as they may affect travel or home activities in winter months, he said.

Basolo stressed that travel or home activity then should be geared to life-protective measures that can include some of the following:

**Motoring:** Check travel advisories first, avoid all but emergency travel as advisories indicate. Be properly clad or have warm protective clothing handy such as coats, mittens, boots, over-shoes, scarves, face masks, etc. Have matches, flares, candles, flashlight, shovel, tire chains, scrapers, first aid kit, food snacks and similar articles in car storage in event of blocked roads or car failure. If storm traps car, it is advisable to remain with the car. Be alert to carbon monoxide exhaust dangers if car motor and heater are operated in bad ventilating circumstances.

**At home:** Have ample canned and dried food stocks on hand to last family several days or more if needed. Have emergency warming & heating equipment available if possible (such as a wood stove, fireplace, etc.) in event of electric power failure or depletion of heating fuels (fuel oil, coal, natural gas). Have candles, matches and flashlights in stock. Have battery-operated radios available (with spare batteries) to keep abreast of emergency broadcast information should electric power not be available. Home clothing stores should include extra blankets, extra clothing, etc. in event of any emergency-caused heating loss in the home. Be alert to dangers of noxious gases from any emergency heat source, such as oil stove, gas camping stoves, and the like.

Should you have any questions about winter storm survival measures in motoring or at home, contact your nearest State Police post for advisor information from the emergency services division.

## District Court

The following appeared before Judge Francis L. Walsh in 83rd District Court last week:

Terry Lee Johnson, 18, of Alden, demanded preliminary examination on a charge of receiving and concealing stolen property over \$100. The 12-day period was waived and a \$2,000 personal bond was set.

Glenda J. Dunckley, 20, Frederic, pleaded guilty to a charge of larceny under \$100 and was fined \$65 or 7 days in jail.

Clarence William Robb, 56, Mio, pleaded guilty to a charge of impaired driving and was fined \$185 or 14 days in jail.

Joseph Eugene Prieskorn, 19, Gaylord, demanded preliminary examination on two charges of breaking and entering unoccupied buildings. The 12-day period was waived and a \$1,000 cash-surety bond was set.

Brian Carl Dandy, 18, Grayling, demanded preliminary examination on a charge of breaking and entering an unoccupied building. The 12-day period was waived and a \$500 cash/surety bond set.

## Watch Night Services

The First Baptist Church of Frederic extends you a warm welcome to attend our "Watch Night Service", Sunday, December 31, from 9 p.m. until 12 Midnight.

Mr. Larry Bronsing, from Frederic, who is now attending Mid-Western Baptist Bible College, will be guest speaker. Also, "Joseph and His Brothers", an hour long color film will be shown, plus food and fellowship. All are invited!

## Middle School Cagers Cop Four Victories

by Joe Schrader

Middle School basketball teams tacked up four more wins last week against Houghton Lake, with both the "A" and "B" squads posting victories.

Coach Art Thayer's 7th grade "B" team triumphed, 22-15 with Jim Stewart hitting for 10 points. The "A" team coasted to a 26-15 win with Morrill topping the scoring with 16 points.

In 8th grade action at Houghton Lake, the "B" team romped to a 36-25 win with John Dannenburg leading the way with 15 points. The "A" team also came home victorious, 43-30. Jim Schrader led the Vikes in scoring with 16 points.

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## What's right with America

Richard Milliman

(Author's Note: Again this week, the Almanack repeats a column from previous years...this one aimed at taking stock as we start a new year.)

As we end one year and begin another, a standard American practice is to take stock of what we are, where we are, and where we might be going. It's sort of a soul-searching version of the old New Year's Resolution bit.

A few years ago, the Chamber of Commerce of the United States came up with a promotion centered on the theme of "What's right with America." As we close down an old year, and brace to take on a new one, review might be in order.

For example, when we consider what's right with our country, consider these factors:

-- We have the greatest amount of freedom for the individual of any country in the world. Freedom of choice. Of religion. Of thought. Of speech.

-- We have a system of public education, higher learning, and continuing adult study offering rich intellectual fulfillment to all who accept its opportunities.

-- We have the strongest economic system, and incentive for individual productivity, of any country in the world.

-- We have a highly productive and fertile soil and a skilled, motivated, splendidly equipped agricultural community.

-- We have a surplus of moral energy and courage. We're a better country for it.

Item: Fifty-six men signed the Declaration of Independence. Five were captured or imprisoned in the war that followed. Nine died of wounds or hardships. Twelve lost their homes. Seventeen lost everything they owned. Every last one of them was hunted.

Most were driven into hiding. They were offered immunity, rewards, the return of their property or freedom of their loved ones to desert the cause. Not one did. Not one broke that pledge.

-- We have a willingness to experiment with different forms of social, economic and political organization, keeping what works and discarding what doesn't.

-- We have, above all, a will to improve, to achieve, to share, to accept the responsibilities of leadership, to be neighborly and to become something more tomorrow than we are today.

-- We have the freedom of our communication media to encourage the development and expression of informed opinion. And a growing concern for personal, governmental and commercial ethics and behavior.

-- We have health facilities and a medical delivery system of exceptional quality.

-- We have a great wealth of investment capital, much of it waiting encouragement to be used in the development of jobs and productivity.

-- We have extraordinary technical and scientific talent, constantly working to improve our living standards and expand our knowledge of ourselves, our world and the universe.

The Chamber's points from a couple of years back are just as valid today as then.

When we look into the future, toward the towering problems and challenges that face our nation, our community, our families, ourselves...it is encouraging to take a look at what's right, instead of automatically concentrating on what's wrong.

Our best wishes for a happy and contented and fulfilling New Year, from The Almanack.

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### Getting Older

It's true. As a nation, the United States is getting older. A simple combination makes the phenomena true: people are living longer and the birth rate in this country has dropped substantially.

Currently, the age group of persons above 65 equals almost 11 per cent of America's population. Population projections show that by the year 2000, that percentage will have risen to over 12 per cent.

In addition, population experts point out, the median age in the United States today is 29.4 years. In the year 2000, it will be 35.5 years.

Sadly, about 15 per cent of the country's over-65 citizens live below officially designated poverty levels, according to the Population Reference Bureau.

It should also be pointed out that the retired segment of our population is both increasing and living longer. With increased life spans, more services for the elderly must be provided. It's also obvious that many more people are now retiring before they reach the age of 70 or even 65.

In the year 1990, for example, two-thirds of the Americans in the 65-and-over age bracket were still in the labor force. Today, that figure is only 20 per cent.

## From The Prosecutor's Office:

Since assuming office approximately two years ago, we have attempted to maintain accurate statistical records of our efforts. Last year we effectuated a record number of convictions and this year, 1978, it appears that even more convictions were ascertained.

As of mid-December, 1978, we have realized 54 felony convictions and 258 misdemeanor convictions. The office has handled approximately 383 criminal investigations, 7 probation violation hearings and has issued 28 formal written opinions to various governmental agencies. In addition, we have handled 20 paternity actions and have processed 57 family support actions (normally these are suits against a legally responsible parent of children being supported by A.D.C. funds).

Overall, it appears that crimes against property constitute the predominate offense in the felony class although there is a distinct rise in crimes against persons.

The City Police Department has indicated that as a result of our recently invoked check law violation policy incidents of bad checks have been decreased by approximately 48 per cent.

There were fewer marijuana related offenses during the year.

### Music Class

We have had the pleasure of singing Christmas Carols all week. All classes at Grayling Elementary School went caroling through the halls of the school. It was fun to walk down the halls singing as teachers opened the classroom doors so that everyone could listen. At Frederic Elementary School we combined a few classes and sang Christmas Carols as we chose our favorites.

Some of us had the honor of singing at the hospital. It was a good feeling for the children to feel they were bringing a bit of happiness to a few people who could not be at home with their families.

So, as the Christmas Season comes to an end, we have sung, sung, sung. We hope some of you heard us and we hope our voices made some of you smile.

Mrs. Peggy Emerick  
Music Teacher

### THOUGHT FOR FOOD

By GOULD CROOK

#### Holiday Eggnog

There are many views on how to achieve the perfect eggnog. To use the whole egg or just the egg yolks or just the whites whipped to peaks. There are different views on which spirits make the best noggs too. Try the following recipe for a really exciting version of eggnog.

8 egg yolks — beaten until light and lemon-colored.  
3/4 cup sugar — beat into egg yolks until well blended.  
1 bottle bourbon and 1/2 cup rum — stir into above mixture.

Now pour this mixture into a covered container and let stand overnight or until ready to serve. At this point fold in 1 pint heavy cream whipped and then fold in the 8 egg whites which have been beaten with a pinch of salt until peaked.

Serve in mugs. If you like, garnish with a few curls of chocolate shave with a vegetable peeler from a semi-sweet bar. Serves about 15.

I might add that eggnog can be as potent or gentle as you like, depending on the amount of spirits used — so decrease the amount given if it suits you better.

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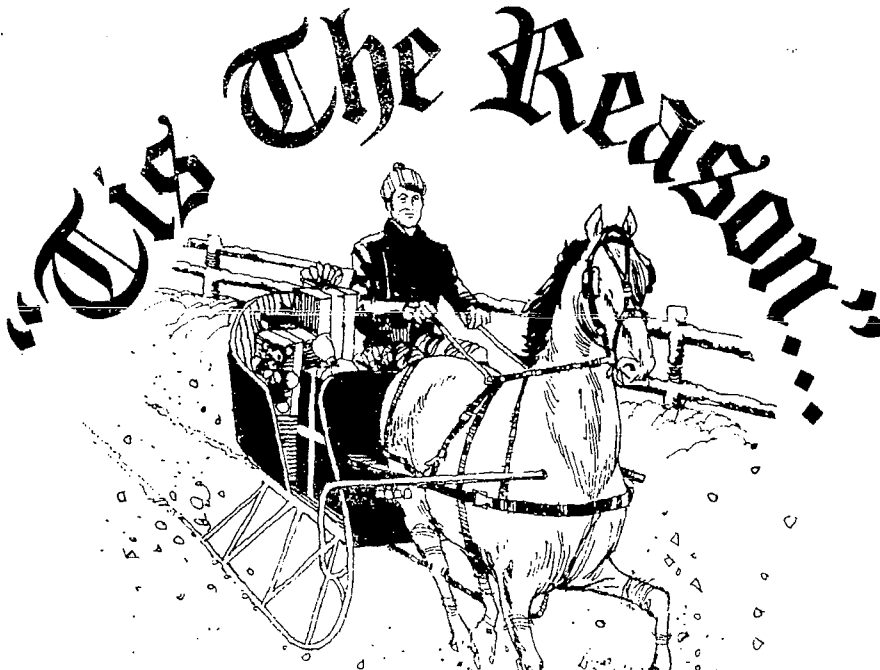
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## March of Dimes Has Impact on Lives of Poster Child and Family

Like most youngsters her age, eight-year-old Melanie Brockington of Lancaster, Tex., changes her mind from day to day about what she wants to be when she grows up. Her choices vary from cake decorator to piano player.

But that's a decision Melanie can postpone for a while. Right now most of her time and energy is occupied with being 1979 National Poster Child for the March of Dimes.

Melanie, who was born with open spine, is a victim of this country's most serious child health problem—birth defects. As National Poster Child she represents more than a quarter-million Americans who are born each year with physical or mental handicaps.

### Birth Defects Prevention

The March of Dimes is trying to do something about this tragedy by channeling its funds and energies into birth defects prevention. A program which it supports at the University of Texas Southwest Medical Center in Dallas is one that provides genetic services.

Two years ago, when Melanie's mother became pregnant again, the family sought help there.

They learned that spina bifida, or open spine, is believed to result from a combination of genetic and environmental factors. The chance of its recurring in a family with one affected child is generally about five per cent for each subsequent birth.

Even knowing these facts, the Brockingtons were understandably concerned about the health



WHENEVER BABY BROTHER Trent gets on his high horse, eight-year-old Melanie is always nearby to lend a helping hand.

of their expected second child. So, during her fourth month of pregnancy, Mrs. Brockington had amniocentesis, which is a sampling of the fluid surrounding the baby, for laboratory analysis. Results indicated that the unborn baby did not have open spine.

This reassurance allayed the family's fears. Trent Brockington, who was born a healthy infant, is now an active toddler.

Although she is paralyzed from the waist down, Melanie doesn't have any trouble keeping up with her younger brother. She walks

with the aid of braces and crutches and even dances. When she's not boggling to the beat, Melanie relaxes by just listening to records. She's a Shaun Cassidy fan.

Melanie is in the third grade at West Main Elementary School in Lancaster. She looks forward to music and art classes and she also enjoys mathematics.

Her father, Tom, is regional credit manager for the Western Company of North America in Fort Worth. Her mother, Ann, is a court reporter for the Dallas County Probate Court.

## Michigan Mirror

By Warren M. Hoyt  
State Officers Salary  
Increase On Target

The Michigan State Officers Compensation Commission is to be commended for keeping salary increases for the state's top elected officials, members of the supreme court and members of the Legislature within the 7 percent guidelines set by President Carter.

In the currently waning economy, governments must set an example in dealing with their own salaries and fringe benefits, otherwise there would be no way the voluntary wage and price guidelines would work to stop the rapidly spiraling inflationary cycle.

Everyone is suffering from inflation and who better can set an example that they are willing to do their share than governmental officials who draw their pay from public funds supplied through taxation of the people.

Nearby states are currently in an upheaval over members of the Legislatures in Ohio and Illinois voting themselves huge increases in violation of the guidelines.

The Ohio Legislature, for example, voted itself a 28 percent pay raise right in the face of the president's anti-inflation program. The bill was rushed through the legislative process during the final hours of the session and then quickly signed by the governor before the people of Ohio knew what was happening.

With such a flagrant violation, there is no way any other entity, either public or private, can have any respect for the guidelines set by Carter. With government not participating, it becomes next to impossible for the back of inflation to be broken.

With the recommendations set by the Michigan commission, all members of state government can face the new year with pride knowing they will get a modest increase in salary, but at the same time knowing they have done their

share in the fight against inflation.

With participation in the program, Michigan public officials will better be able to deal with the financial, social and people problems of the state with a clear conscience. This will be especially true when the time comes when the Legislature must make only minor increases in budgets and if it becomes necessary to ask the people of the state to dig deeper into their pockets to provide the state with additional tax revenues.

### Legal Notice

STATE OF MICHIGAN  
In The Probate Court for  
The County of Crawford

In the matter of the estate of  
Charles W. Mosher, Deceased.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION  
IT IS ORDERED that on  
December 29, 1978 at 10:00  
A.M. in the Probate Courtroom,  
Grayling, Michigan a hearing be  
held on the petition of Elna Mae  
Mosher, filed in said Court,

praying that said Court adjudicate and determine the date of death of said deceased, the names of those entitled by survivorship to personal property including inventory and certain Michigan Liquor Licenses SDD #11414 and SCM #11066 located at 604 Norway Street, Grayling, Michigan in which said deceased had an interest as life tenant, joint tenant or tenant in the entirety, and other facts essential to the determination of the rights of the parties interested in said personally.

Publication and service shall be made as provided by statute and court rule.

Dated: December 6, 1978  
Emil L. Kraus, Probate Judge  
Elna Mae Mosher, Petitioner  
607 Ionia Street  
Grayling, Michigan

-14-21-28

### Legal Notice

STATE OF MICHIGAN  
In the District Court for  
the 83rd Judicial District.  
Lexsan, Inc. Plaintiff,

-vs-  
Clarence D. Foulk and Beula N. Foulk, Defendants.  
William H. Ryan (P-19809)  
Attorney for Plaintiff

ORDER TO ANSWER

AT A SESSION of said Court continued and held at the County Building in the City of Grayling, State of Michigan, Crawford County, on this 28th day of November, 1978.

PRESENT: Hon. Francis L. Walsh, District Judge.  
That on November 13, 1978, an action was filed by Lexsan, Inc., Plaintiff, against Clarence D. Foulk and Beula N. Foulk, Defendant, in this court, to obtain a judgment of forfeiture in summary proceedings. That inquiry has been made through friends, the post office and a process server who attempted service, and an address has not been obtained.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the Defendants, Clarence D. Foulk and Beula N. Foulk shall take answer or such other action as may be permitted by law on the 2nd day of January, A.D. 1979 at 2:00 p.m. Failure to comply with this order will result in a judgment of default against defendants for the relief demanded in the complaint filed in this cause.

Petitioner  
Thomas E. Kent,  
Attorney for Jeanette Henig  
Executrix  
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Grayling, Michigan 49738

Attorney for Petitioner:  
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Francis L. Walsh  
District Judge  
83rd Judicial District  
7-14-21-28

### Legal Notice

NOTICE OF  
MORTGAGE SALE

MORTGAGE SALE—Default having been made in the terms and conditions of a certain mortgage made by John K. Mason of Grayling, Crawford County, Michigan, Mortgagee, to Theodore J. Leslie and Ingeborg Leslie, husband and wife, of Grayling, Crawford County, Michigan, Mortgagees, dated the 2nd day of May, 1972, and recorded in the Office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Crawford and State of Michigan, on the 11th day of May, 1972, in Liber 117 of Records, page 218, which mortgage was assigned by Theodore J. Leslie and Ingeborg Leslie to Russell A. McLaughlin, of Houghton Lake, Roscommon County, Michigan, by an Assignment of Mortgage dated the 24th day of July, 1972, and recorded in the Office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Crawford and State of Michigan, on the 24th day of July, 1972, in Liber 119 of Records, page 89-90, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due, at the date of this notice, for principal and interest, the sum of \$9,123.95.

And no suit or proceedings at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof.

NOW THEREFORE by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute of the State of Michigan in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that on Friday, the 19th day of January, 1979, at 10:00 a.m., said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale at public auction, to the highest bidder, at the front door of the Crawford County Building in the City of Grayling, Michigan (that being the building where the Circuit Court for the County of Crawford is held), of the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount due, as aforesaid, on said mortgage, with the interest thereon at seven percent (7%) per annum and all legal costs, charges and expenses, including the attorney fees allowed by law; and also any sum or sums which may be paid by the undersigned necessary to protect his interest in the premises.

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## 4-H News

The Cooperative Extension Service is offering a series of Horse Science Shortcourses. Anyone fourteen years of age or older having an interest in horses is welcome to register and attend.

The sessions will run for five consecutive weeks starting in January. They are being held in four different locations including Mid-Michigan Community College in Harrison.

Areas being covered are: Selecting A Sound Horse, Lameness & Foot Care, Diseases & Parasites, Breeding & Foaling, & Horse First Aid.

The registration fee per person is ten dollars for all five courses. The fee includes the programs, a loose-leaf notebook containing printed material on all topics discussed, mimeographed material, and refreshment.

If you would like a registration form or more information, call the Cooperative Extension Service at 275-5043.

## Civilian Director To Head State Crime Laboratories

The Michigan State Police have a civilian director of their crime laboratory activities for the first time since that facility was initially established in 1932 at East Lansing headquarters.

The civilian administrator is Dr. James R. Howenstine, 53, who was transferred to the State Police in October last year from the Department of Public Health.

His new position as head of the forensic sciences division as the laboratory activities are now titled, earned him promotion to crime laboratory scientist 17. As head of the Breathalyzer section of the division, his laboratory scientist level was 15.

The State Police only had four previous directors of their crime laboratory activities, all of them enlisted officers. The first was D/Lt. LeRoy Smith, now deceased, who served from 1932 to 1958. The second was Capt. Wallace Van Stratt who served from 1958 to 1972. The third was Capt. Charles Meyers who served from 1972 to 1973. The fourth was Capt. Kenard Christensen who served from 1973 until he retired in October this year.

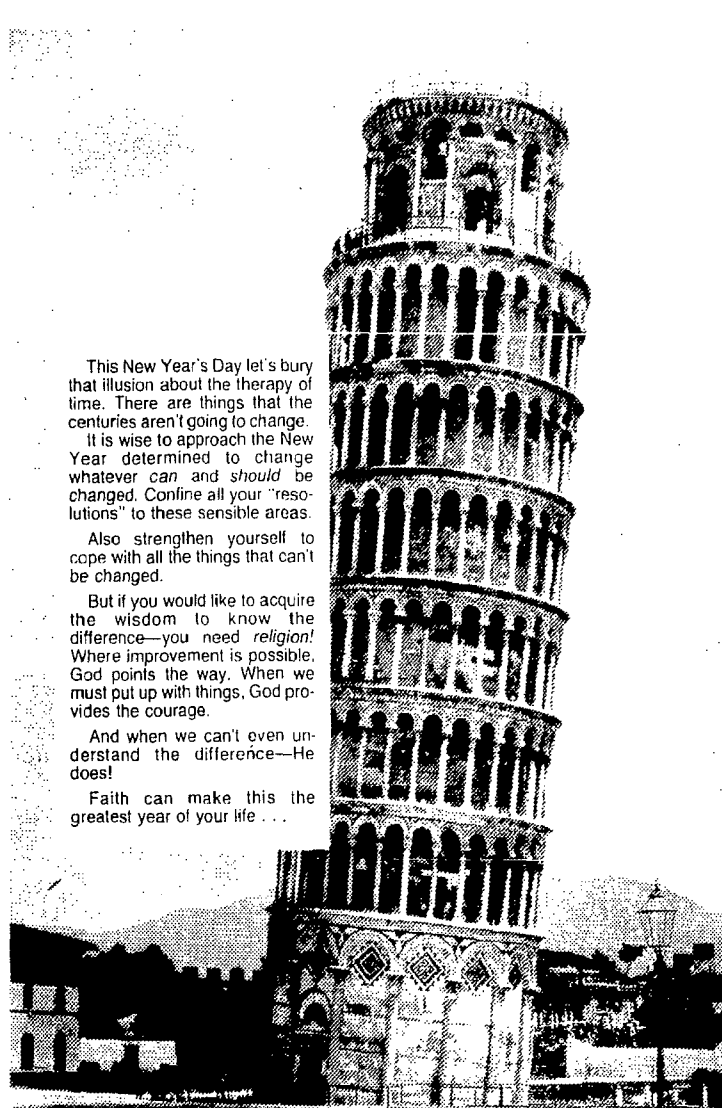
As head of the forensic sciences division, Dr. Howenstine's jurisdiction includes regional laboratories at Northville, Madison Heights, Bridgeport, Holland, Negaunee, and Grayling, in addition to the facilities at East Lansing. The forensic division is part of the State Police technical services bureau which is commanded by Lt. Col. Edward Lenon at headquarters.

Prior to his 1977 transfer to the State Police with other Public Health department laboratory technicians and scientists, Dr. Howenstine served for more than 23 years with that agency where he first was employed in May, 1954. He was born at Wabash, Ind., where he graduated from high school. From August, 1943 to April, 1946, during World War II he served with the U.S. Navy for 32 months.

Well schooled in sciences, he earned bachelor and master of science degrees in bacteriology at Purdue University at Lafayette, Ind., respectively in 1951 and 1954. He completed work on a doctor of philosophy degree in chemistry and mycology from Michigan State University in 1962.

He and his wife, Elizabeth, have a son and a daughter.

## Attend the Church of Your Choice



This New Year's Day let's bury that illusion about the therapy of time. There are things that the centuries aren't going to change.

It is wise to approach the New Year determined to change whatever can and should be changed. Confine all your "resolutions" to these sensible areas.

Also strengthen yourself to cope with all the things that can't be changed.

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Faith can make this the greatest year of your life.

## More Than Time

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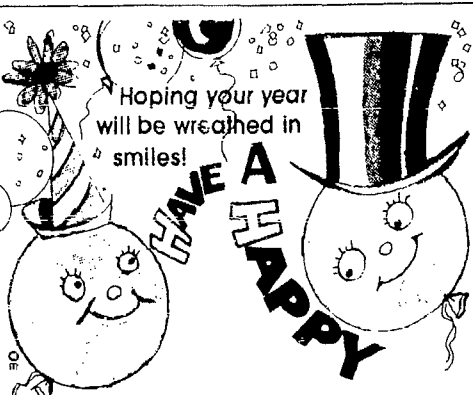
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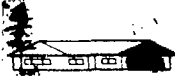
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## COMMISSION ORDER

(under authority of Act 230, P.A. 1925, as amended)

### Sturgeon Size Limit

The Natural Resources Commission, at its meeting on July 14, 1978, under authority of Act 230, P.A. 1925, as amended, renewed the order of August 10, 1973, that no sturgeon may be taken or possessed from the waters of this state of a length less than 50 inches for a period of five years beginning January 1, 1979.

MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

## COMMISSION ORDER

(under authority of Act 230, P.A. 1925, as amended)

### Lake Trout Spearing - Statewide Ban

The Natural Resources Commission, at its July 14, 1978, meeting, under the authority of Sections 1 and 2 of Act 230, P.A. 1925, as last amended by Act 82, renewed the order of August 10, 1973, that no person shall take lake trout by means of a spear or bow and arrow from any of the waters over which this state has jurisdiction for a period of five years effective January 1, 1979.

MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

## COMMISSION ORDER

(under authority of Act 230, P.A. 1925, as amended)

### Regulations on Tiger Muskellunge

The Natural Resources Commission, at its meeting on July 14, 1978, under the authority of Act 230, P.A. 1925, as amended, renewed the order of August 10, 1973, that hybrid muskellunge, commonly known as the "tiger muskellunge", shall be deemed a muskellunge, and it shall be unlawful to take or possess tiger muskellunge except in accordance with laws, rules, and regulations governing muskellunge, for a period of five years effective January 1, 1979.

MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

## COMMISSION ORDER

(under authority of Act 230, P.A. 1925, as amended, and Act 165, P.A. 1929, as amended)

### Designation of Trout Lakes for 1979

The Natural Resources Commission, at its July 14, 1978, meeting, under the authority of Act 230, P.A. 1925, as amended, and Act 165, P.A. 1929, as amended, designated the following lakes as trout lakes and restricted fishing on certain lakes as indicated.

Lakes shown in capital letters are new designations for 1979. Live minnows may not be used for bait on those lakes denoted by an asterisk.

ALCONA: O'Brien Lake.  
ANTRIM: Green Lake\*.  
ALGER: Addis Lake and Pond; Cherry, Grand Marais, Mirror, Trueman, Hike, Irwin and Rock lakes; Cole Creek and Kingston ponds; the ponds on Sec. 25, T46N, R20W and Sec. 30, T46N, R19W; Sullivan Pond [Sec. 21, T49N, R15W]; Rock River Ponds [Sec. 14, T46N, R21W].  
BARAGA: ALICE LAKE.  
CHARLEVOIX: Boyne Falls Pond\*.  
CHEBOYGAN: Weber Lake\*, Twin Lake #1\*.  
CHIPPEWA: Naomikong Lake; Trout Brook Pond\* [Sec. 22, T44N, R4W]; Naomikong\* and Roxbury\* ponds.  
CLINTON: Burke Lake [10-inch size limit on all trout; artificial lures only].  
CRAWFORD: Bright, Glory and Horseshoe\*, Kniff\* and Shupac\* lakes.  
DELTA: Carr Ponds [Sec. 26, T43N, R18W]; Lake 23, Square and Wintergreen lakes; Zigmoul Pond.  
GOGEBIC: Beaton's, BIG CASTLE, CORNELIA, FINGER, MISHKE LAKES.  
GRAND TRAVERSE and Lake #2 [artificial lures only, 15" size limit].  
HOUGHTON: HAUGER, PERRAULT LAKES, LAKE ON THREE.  
IRON: Hannah Webb, Killdeer, Madelyn, Skyline, and Spree lakes.  
LUCE: Bennet Springs lakes; Brockie\* and Buckies\* ponds; Dillingham, Holland\* [artificial lures with one single pointed hook only, limit of two trout over 15"]; Jack, Long\*, Lost and Peanut lakes; Silver Creek\*, Spring Creek\*, and Third Creek\* ponds; Benny\*, Moon\*, Trout, Ward\*, Little Whorl, Whorl, Wolverine\*, and Youngs\* lakes.  
MACKINAC: McAlpine and Millecoquin\* ponds, FI-BRON PONDS.  
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OAKLAND: Dickinson Lake [12-inch size limit, 3 fish creel limit during June, July and August. No kill during remainder of trout season - artificial lures only].  
ONTONAGON: MICHIGAN POND.  
OSCEOLA: Center Lake\*.  
OSCODA: Crater Lake\*.  
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SCHOOLCRAFT: Clear Creek, Spring\* and King's\* ponds; SECTION 7, LOST, and Bear lakes; Dutch Fred\*, MID\*, Ned's\* and TWILIGHT\* lakes [on these four lakes fishing limited to artificial lures with one single pointed hook only with a limit of 2 trout over 15" on Dutch Fred, 1 trout over 15" on Ned's, Mid, and Twilight].

MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT  
OF NATURAL RESOURCES

# Board of Commissioners Minutes

Regular meeting of the Crawford County Board of Commissioners held in the Court House in the City of Grayling on the 11th day of December, 1978.

Called to order by Vice-Chairman Mattis at 9:30 A.M.  
Roll Call: Bidvia, Failing, Harland, Kauffman, Kitchen, Mattis-Ail Present, Martindale-Absent.

Invocation by Chaplain Kauffman, and I would also like to close with this for the new Commissioners: Someone has said "Coming together is beginning, Working together is progress, Keeping together is success." We have come together, we have worked together, now let us keep together & succeed. Yesterday is gone, tomorrow may never come, but today is here, so let us turn our faces toward a new day of deeper understanding. Let us as men & women who have learned the great truths of our position as Commissioners of Crawford County, advance only things of lasting value. Let us live up to our responsibilities as members of this Board.

Visitors: Claude Halstead, Andie Neilson, Jackie Bonkowski, Mike Hauxwell, Walt Nowak, Don Geiss, Chet Johnston, Bernie Fowler, Dan Smith, Ernie Dawson, Roy Papenfus, Jan Cornell, Joe Wakeley.

MOTION by Kauffman, second by Bidvia, that the minutes of the meeting of 11/22/78 be approved as printed. All Ayes. Carried.

CORRESPONDENCE:

1. Thank you note from the Lowrie family.

2. Letter from the Circuit Judge William Porter, informing the Board that he has submitted Bernice Meska's name to the Governor for the position of the Circuit Court Reporter & he is requesting the Board approve the salary of \$13,500 for Mrs. Meska.

MOTION by Failing, second by Bidvia, that the salary of the Circuit Court Reporter be approved at \$13,500.00. Roll Call. All Ayes. Carried.

3. Minutes of the Social Services Board meeting placed on file.

4. From the DNR, a summary statement of project costs on the Crawford County Parks Commission on the Recreation Bond Project No. B-520-D.

5. A bulletin from the Dept. of Treasury, regarding Probate Judges Salaries.

6. From the law office of Hess, Huss & Dosson, the final signed lease agreements between the County of Crawford, & Kirtland Community College.

7. A letter from Michigan Association of Counties, regarding this County's interest in a self-insured Workers' Compensation plan program.

8. A letter from the Dept. of Treasury, regarding certified assessors in the County.

9. A fact sheet from the US Dept. of Agriculture, concerning payments in lieu of taxes.

10. Notice from the Clerk's office on the closing of the Courthouse for the Christmas holidays. The building will be closed Monday, the 25th and Tuesday, the 26th of December.

11. A copy of the letter the Clerk had sent to Mrs. Kitchen regarding her being appointed to the County Board of Commissioners.

Commissioner Martindale arrived at 10:00.

MOTION by Harland, second by Failing, to amend the agenda of today's meeting & take care of a visitor at this time. All Ayes. Carried.

Walt Nowak came before the Board with an update on the progress of the Crawford County Economic Development Corporation. William Bonkowski is the President. Chuck Fick is the Vice-President & Joe Wakeley is the Secretary Treasurer. All of the appropriate papers have been filed with Lansing and the Corporation is already taking action by seeking a replacement of a industry that had recently left our area. They will be coming back to this Board for final approval on any project that they will undertake.

12. Notice of hearing from the Consumers Power Company.

13. Memo from Rod Denley of the Youth Services Bureau, asking if they could get some assistance from NEMCOG to develop grants for that office.

MOTION by Harland, second by Failing, to encourage the Youth Service Bureau to contact Steve Perry of NEMCOG, for aid in the development of Project Grants. All Ayes. Carried.

14. Letter from HUD, informing the Board of the approval of the Community Development Block Grant in the amount of \$300,000.

15. Minutes of the North Central Michigan Mental Health Board placed on file.

16. A letter of resignation read from Commissioner Failing of District #5, from the County Board of Commissioners, effective December 13, 1978.

MANPOWER CONSORTIUM report by Failing. The Youth Services projects were rejected because of lack of funds. Did get approval for keeping Gary Henning on board. The Consortium is now omitting the name of the Counties from Projects, before they prioritize them.

HOUSING COMMISSION report by Failing. Has had no word on the hiring of a Director for that commission. Commissioner Kitchen reported later that she had spoke to the acting-director & they will be advertising for the new Director in January 1979.

LAW ENFORCEMENT report by Harland. The Sheriff had advertised for bids for new cars & is now in the process of purchasing them. The cost is within his budget.

MOTION by Harland, second by Kitchen, that the Sheriff be allowed to accept the lowest bids for the purchase of these vehicles for his Dept. All Ayes. Carried.

Also reported that the Law Enforcement Committee is recommending that the Sheriff Dept. enter into an agreement with the State of Michigan for the Secondary Road Patrol with a letter of understanding with the Teamster Union that this Patrol Officer need not be retained if & when the project is ended.

MOTION by Harland, second by Failing, that this recommendation from the Law Enforcement Committee be tabled until the February Board meeting. Roll Call: Martindale-No. All Others Ayes. Carried.

Commissioner Harland presented the Board with the Resolution for the Crawford County Drug Lab Inventory.

MOTION by Harland, second by Failing, to adopt this Resolution for the Forensic Lab inventory & authorize the Vice-Chairman to sign it. All Ayes. Carried.

### RESOLUTION

Re: Crawford County Forensic Laboratory

WHEREAS, The Crawford County Crime Laboratory has completed over six years of operation at its location in the Crawford County Building; and

WHEREAS, Since October 1, 1978, the operation and funding of said Laboratory has been under the jurisdiction of the Michigan State Police; and

WHEREAS, Said Laboratory is now known as the Crawford County Forensic Laboratory; and

WHEREAS, Said Laboratory will soon be moving out of the County Building and into an interim location in the Grayling City Hall;

## COMMISSION ORDER

(under authority of Act 165, P.A. 1929 and Act 230, P.A. 1925 as amended)

### Statewide Trout and Salmon Regulations

The Natural Resources Commission, at its meeting on July 14, 1978, under the authority of Act 165, P.A. 1929, as amended, and Act 230, P.A. 1925, as amended, ordered that for a period of five years beginning January 1, 1979, no person shall take or attempt to take any species of trout or salmon from any of the waters of this state except by hook and line during the open seasons prescribed, and within the minimum size limits and maximum possession limits indicated below.

Statewide open seasons on all streams and designated trout lakes shall be from the last Saturday in April through September 30 [longer on waters designated by the Director for extended fishing under Act 165] on all trout and salmon. Statewide open seasons on all other inland lakes and the Great Lakes shall be any time for all trout and salmon. Size limits shall be 8 inches on Lower Peninsula streams, 7 inches on Upper Peninsula streams, and 10 inches on lakes. The daily limit for trout and salmon shall be 5 fish singly or in combination but no more than 3 lake trout or splake.

An additional 5 brook or brown trout may be taken from streams from the last Saturday in April through September 30 only.

MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That prior to the move of said Laboratory to its interim location, it shall become the sole owner of the following inventory which was purchased with L.E.A. and State grant funds:

- 1-Fischer Centrifuge LEAA #11
- 1-Refrigerator LEAA #12
- 1-Forma Scientific Oven LEAA #13
- 1-Semi-Micro Balance (Mettler H31) #8
- 1-Micro Star American Optical Binocular Compound Microscope LEAA #9
- 1-Beckman Acculab 6 Infra-Red Spectrophotometer LEAA #1
- 1-Grieve Laboratory Oven LEAA #15
- 1-Gow Mac Detector & UV Control Unit CCCL #8 & #10
- 1-Linear Dual Pen Recorder CCCL #6
- 1-Varian 8500 HPLC CCCL #5
- 1-UV Spectrophotometer, Beckman, Model 25 LEAA #2
- 1-Beckman Recorder (For Model 25) LEAA #3
- 1-Beckman Clinascreen Gas Chromatograph, Electrometer, Recorder and Table LEAA #4, #5, and #6
- 1-Varian GC Model 3760 CCCL #2
- 1-CDS 111 Computer (Varian) CCCL #3
- 1-4 Unit Steam Bath LEAA #16
- 1-Flammable Liquids Cabinet LEAA #17
- 1-Gow Mac Recorder CCCL #7
- 1-Sonic Bath; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Crawford County Board of Commissioners wishes to express its gratitude to the Michigan State Police for their monetary assistance and their cooperation with this County; and

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution be sent to Lt. Col. Edward Lenon, Michigan State Police.

Dated: December 11, 1978

Lawrence Mattis, Vice Chairman  
Crawford County Board of Commissioners

I, Leo E. Lovely, Clerk of said County of Crawford, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct transcript of the Resolution passed by the Crawford County Board of Commissioners at its meeting of December 11, 1978.

In Testimony whereof, I have set my hand and affixed the Seal of said County this 11 day of December, 1978.

Leo E. Lovely  
Crawford County Clerk

PLANNING COMMISSION REPORT by Harland. The Resolution on the Wild & Scenic Rivers Act ready for adoption.

MOTION by Harland, second by Kitchen, to adopt this Resolution in opposition of the Wild & Scenic Rivers Act, and authorize the Vice-Chairman to sign. All Ayes. Carried.

Subject: Public Law 90-542 (1968) and P.L. 93-621 (1975)

1. WHEREAS, In 1968 the Federal Government passed Public Law 90-542, otherwise known as the "Wild & Scenic Rivers Act," and in 1975 amended said P.L. 90-542 through P.L. 93-621; and

2. WHEREAS, P.L. 90-542, Section 2, deals with the guidelines for evaluating river areas proposed for inclusion in the National Wild and Scenic Rivers System; and

3. WHEREAS, In Section 2 (b) of the above-mentioned Section 2, the three classes of river areas are designated as follows: (1) Wild River Areas, (2) Scenic River Areas, and (3) Recreational River Areas, all three of which are spoken to in this Resolution as they apply to the AuSable and Manistee Rivers and their respective tributaries within Crawford County; and

4. WHEREAS, The criteria for these three classes of river area include, but are not limited to, the following: Class (1)-a "Those rivers...free of impoundments..." (slack water pool formed by any man-made structure), b) "...generally inaccessible except by trail" (no roads or other provisions for overland motorized travel), and c) "...shorelines essentially primitive..." (free of habitation and other substantial evidence of man's intrusion). Class (2)-a) "...free of impoundments..." b) "...accessible in places by road..." (roads may occasionally bridge the river area); and c) "shorelines...still largely primitive and...largely undeveloped" (shorelines still present an overall natural character, but in places, land may be developed for agricultural purposes). Class (3)-a) "...may have some development along their shorelines" (could include small communities, as well as dispersed or cluster residential developments); and

5. WHEREAS, It is stated, in part, in Section 4(a) of Appendix A, P.L. 93-621, that the reports to the President from the Secretary of the Interior and the Secretary of Agriculture on the suitability of non-suitability of designated rivers for addition to the National Wild and Scenic River System "shall give priority to those rivers (i) with respect to which there is the greatest likelihood of development which, if undertaken, would render the rivers unsuitable for inclusion; and (ii) which possess the greatest proportion of private lands within their areas;" and

6. WHEREAS, Both the AuSable and Manistee Rivers and their respective tributaries within Crawford County have many miles of privately-owned shoreline that are moderately and/or largely developed with both seasonal and permanent residences, said residences (and many as yet-unimproved privately-owned parcels) being readily accessible by means of county roads and/or private roads and driveways; and said shoreline having several impoundments and diversions which were effected prior to the passage of P.L. 90-542; and

7. WHEREAS, Section 6 of said Appendix A speaks to the authority of both the Federal and State Governments to condemn privately-owned land "when necessary to clear title or acquire scenic easements or such other easements as are reasonably necessary to give the public access to the river and to permit its members to traverse the length of the area or of selected segments thereof;" and

8. WHEREAS, Section 6(c) of said Appendix A states that lands may not be acquired through condemnation "if such lands are located within any incorporated city, village or borough which has in force and applicable to such lands a duly adopted, valid zoning ordinance that conforms with the purposes of this Act;" and

9. WHEREAS, Crawford County presently has in force a Zoning Ordinance which incorporates, among other items, a Greenbelt Law section, the purpose of which is to protect and preserve the natural beauty and fine water quality of all waterways within said County for the benefit of all, without encroaching unnecessarily upon the constitutional rights of those individuals who own riverfront property along these waterways, said Zoning Ordinance being enforced by the County Zoning Director; and

10. WHEREAS, It has come to our attention that the Comptroller General of the United States has urged the Secretaries of the Interior and Agriculture to require the heads of their agencies to work with the state and local governments to minimize land acquisition, stressing that the purchasing of lands and easements should be done only for noncompatible use or for public access sites; and

11. WHEREAS, There already exists an inordinate percentage (almost 60%) of State- and Federally-owned land in Crawford County; and

12. WHEREAS, The Federal Government payments to counties in lieu of taxes on federally owned property amount to only \$1.00 per acre, and the State of Michigan payments in lieu of taxes on state-owned lands amount to only \$1.50 per acre; and

13. WHEREAS, Two public hearings on the subject Wild and Scenic Rivers Act, P.L. 90-542 (1968) and P.L. 93-621 (1975), which we were told by a member of the United States Forest Service would be held during the summer of 1978, but were not, and were then scheduled for Crawford County during the months of November and December 1978 when many of the owners of property fronting on the two afore-mentioned rivers (Paragraph 3) would not be in or near Crawford County, have now been delayed, after much objection from the property owners of this County, until the spring of 1979.

14. NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That the members of the Crawford County Board of Commissioners (hereinafter referred to as "we") hereby go on record as being unequivocally opposed to Public Law 90-542 (1968) and the Amendment thereto, Public Law 93-621 (1975), in substance, principle, connotation, and intent; and

15. BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That we hereby submit that the afore-mentioned Public Laws, known collectively as the Wild and Scenic Rivers Act, are just one more example of the Federal Government misusing its power to force its will on those very people who, through trust and good faith, gave said Government that power; and

16. BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That we further submit that the implementation of the subject Public Laws in total, and also as specified in part in this Resolution, would be not only undemocratic and inconsistent with the free enterprise system but unconscionable as well, with no apparent thought being given to the constitutional rights of the individual; and

17. BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That we further submit that the guidelines, designations, and criteria as set forth in subject Laws and in this Resolution (Paragraphs II, III, IV, and V) as applied to the AuSable and Manistee Rivers and their respective tributaries within Crawford County clearly indicate that said rivers would not meet these guidelines, designations, and criteria, thereby rendering said rivers unsuitable for inclusion in the National Wild

and Scenic Rivers System, further explanation for this conclusion being set forth above in Paragraph VI; and

18. BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That we further submit that Paragraphs VII and VIII above, dealing with condemnation of private lands by the Federal and State Governments, are duly answered in Paragraphs IX, X, and XI above, further reinforcing our conviction that no privately-owned properties fronting on the rivers in question should be condemned for any reason; and

19. BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That we further submit that if the Federal and/or State Governments do condemn and subsequently take possession of any of the privately-owned properties fronting on the rivers in question, thus removing said properties from this County's tax rolls, said action will cause an undue and unwarranted financial hardship on this County, the reasons for which are duly set forth in Paragraphs XI and XII above; and

20. BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That we strongly protest the fact that the two public hearings on the subject Laws are now going to be set for dates in the spring of 1979, rather than the surmer months, for the reasons set forth in Paragraph XIII above, and we further submit that this action appears to be deliberate and devious; and

21. BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That we hereby request that plans for holding said public hearings in the spring of 1979 be dropped and new hearing dates be set for two dates between June 15 and September 1, 1979; and

22. BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED, That copies of this Resolution be sent to the following: The Hon. Jimmy Carter, President of the United States; The Hon. William G. Milliken, Governor of the State of Michigan; Secretary of the Interior, Washington, D.C.; Secretary of Agriculture, Washington, D.C.; John R. McGuire, Chief, United States Forest Service; Comptroller General of the United States; Secretary of the State Department of Agriculture, Lansing, Michigan; U.S. Senators Robert P. Griffin and Donald W. Riegle, Jr.; U.S. Senator-elect Carl Levin; U.S. Representatives Philip E. Ruppe, Bob Traxler, Guy VanderJagt and Elford A. Cederberg; U.S. Representative-elect Robert W. Davis; State Senator-elect Mitch Irwin; State Senator John C. Hertel, Chairman, Agriculture and Consumer Affairs Committee; Senator John R. Otterbacher, Vice Chairman, Agriculture and Consumer Affairs Committee; Senator Robert D. Young, Agriculture and Consumer Affairs Committee; Senator Joseph S. Mack, Chairman, Conservation Committee; Senator John F. Toppo; State Representatives Donald VanSingen, Charles H. Varnum, F. Dan Stevens, George A. Prescott, Ralph Ostling, Dominic Jacobelli, Russell R. Hellman, Louis K. Cramton, Michael J. Busch, and Connie Binsfeld; Representative-elect Steve Andrews; A. Barry McGuire, Executive Director, Michigan Association of Counties; Tom Cooper, President, Michigan Association of Counties; Chairman of Committee on Land Use, Michigan Association of Counties; Sid Ouwinga, President, Michigan Northern Counties Association; the County Boards of Commissioners of the following Northern Michigan Counties: Mackinac, Chippewa, Luce, Alcona, Schoolcraft, Delta, Menominee, Marquette, Baraga, Iron, Houghton, Keweenaw, Gogebic, Ontonagon, Emmet, Cheboygan, Presque Isle, Charlevoix, Antrim, Otsego, Montmorency, Alpena, Leelanau, Grant, Traverse, Kalkaska, Oscoda, Alcona, Benzie, Manistee, Wexford, Missaukee, Roscommon, Ogemaw, Isocoma, Mason, Lake, Osceola, Clare, Gladwin, Arenac, Oceana, Newagen, Mecosta, Isabella, Midland, Bay, Muskegon, Kent, Montcalm, Gratiot, and Saginaw. State Senators William Faust (Majority Leader), Jerome Hart, and Robert Vanderlaan; the Supervisors of the following townships in Crawford County: Frederic, Maple Forest, Lovells, Grayling, Beaver Creek, and South Branch; Mayor Derek McEvers, Grayling; Jerry Morford, Grayling City Manager, Walt Nowak, Executive Director, Grayling Regional Chamber of Commerce; Robert Furlong, Northern Regional Representative, Michigan Association of Counties; and Wayne K. Mann, Forest Supervisor, Huron-Manistee National Forest.

Dated: 12-11-78

Lawrence Mattis, Vice Chairman  
Crawford County Board of Commissioners

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UNION NEGOTIATIONS report by Mattis. There has been a preliminary meeting on the Teamsters contract with the union people.

CRAWFORD COUNTY TRANSPORTATION by Bidvia. The Dial-A-Ride manager will be here later in the meeting with a report on the cut in funding for Public Transits for 1979.

Commissioner Bidvia reported that the Youth Service Bureau is in the process moving to their new office.

Recess for lunch. Reconvened at 1:15

Commissioner Kauffman reported that the antenna grounding is done at the Sheriff Dept.

RESOLUTIONS by Kauffman. Resolution read from St. Joseph County regarding State Financing of the Court Systems.

MOTION by Kauffman, second by Harland, to support this St. Joseph County Resolution. All Ayes. Carried.

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, The St. Joseph County Commission has observed in the monthly bills, yearly employee contracts and yearly budgets, that the costs of subsidizing the circuit, district, and probate courts have been increasing at an alarming rate, with little or no control in the hands of the money providers, the County Commission.

WHEREAS, under Law the counties must provide counsel, professional services, such as psychiatric examination for cases which are almost always involve violations of State Laws and often individuals not from St. Joseph County.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Legislature be the providers of funding for the required services for those individuals accused of crime who are unable to retain same.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Legislature fund the operation of the circuit, district and probate courts including all wages, salaries, witness fee, jury fees and court appointed attorneys.

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED that a copy of the foregoing resolution be sent to Governor William Milliken, Senator Jack Welborn, Senator Harry Demaso, Representative Mark Siljander, Representative Nick Smith and the 83 counties of Michigan.

HEALTH & WELFARE report by Kauffman. Reported on a meeting he had attended on the new public health code. Communicable disease report read. Also reported he had received his pin for 10 years service on that Board.

COUNCIL ON AGING by Kauffman. Reported that Commissioner Bidvia will be replacing him on that Commission. He had also received a plaque for his serving 10 years on that Board.

Chief Johnston from Dial-A-Ride system came before the Board with his report & his revised budget he had submitted to the State for funding. Will not be receiving the 100% State funding as we anticipated. The County will have to come up with about 25% of the funds to keep the system going at its present level. There is funds to carry the operation thru till the fall of the year.

Carolyn Sutfield from the CETA office came before the Board with a Title VI Project for a full-time 4-H assistance for Crawford County.

MOTION by Failing, second by Martindale, to approve this 4-H CETA Title VI Project. All Ayes. Carried.

MOTION by Harland, second by Kitchen, to rescind the previous Motion made by Failing. All Ayes. Carried.

MOTION by Harland, second by Kitchen, to accept this 4-H CETA Title VI Project with the Extension Service doing the administering of the Projects payroll. All Ayes. Carried.

Dan Smith & Ernie Dawson came before the Board with a request to plant a tree or two on the Courthouse lawn. The matter was assigned to the Bldg. & Grnls. Committee.



# Board of Commissioners

Cadillac Overall Supply Co.	Supplies	34.48
Clinton Office Equip. Co.	Office Supplies	30.52
Communication Service	Radio repair	5.74
Comm. Serv. Accept. Co.	Insurance	40.18
Comm. Serv. Ins. Co.	Insurance	36.12
Willard Bosserman	Mileage & office exp.	404.92
C.O.R. Intermediate Sch.	COOR Comp. Serv.	499.86
Cornell Agency, Inc. Ins.	Bond	20.00
Cornell Agency, Inc.	Printing & Supp.	540.16
Dawson's	Equipment	15.80
DeLano Service, Inc.	Office Supp.	31.40
Dosch, Burkley, Waterfall	Coroner salary & exams.	654.00
Doubleday Bros. & Co.	Supplies	1,992.10
Dubois Lumber Co.	Dog Food	94.75
Bill Farrow Uniforms, Inc.	Officer uniforms	492.44
C.F. Flick & Sons	Gas & Oil	1,525.72
Fochtman Motor Co.	Supplies	83.70
Ban Franklin Downtown	Supplies	15.72
Ban Franklin Family Stores	Radio repair	11.68
Fred's Auto Body Repair	Vehicle Repair	67.25
General Uniforms Corp.	Officer uniforms	25.99
George's Auto Service	Car repair	73.10
Glen's Mkt.	Dog Food	2.66
Grayling Elect. & Heating Co.	Bldg. Maint.	93.00
Grayling Ins. Agency	Bond	3.00
Grayling Office Supply	Office Supplies	28.91
Grayling Window & Door Co.	Supplies	6.19
Harris Comm.	Radio repair	10.87
Teri L. Heacock	Court recorder sal.	200.00
Higgins Lake Sports Center	Equipment	20.38
Hoerl's Decorating Shop	Bldg. maint.	19.90
Jansen Plumbing Service	Bldg. maint.	652.05
Larry's Auto Repair & Towing	Car repair	118.60
Lexington International Co.	Copier supplies	125.28
Derek McEvers	Med. examiner sal. & fee	1,490.80
McLeans ProMart	Supplies	112.84
Mac's Drug Store	Inmate pres. & supp.	98.41
State of Michigan	Office Supp.	4.26
State of Michigan	Supplies	213.78
Mill-Town Refuse Serv.	Grounds maint.	40.00
Miller Hardware	Bldg. maint. & supp.	20.65
Moshier Sales & Service	Maint.	125.75
Motorola Communi.	Equipment	279.00
Northern Prof. Emerg. Phy.	Inmate medical	19.50
Park Place Motor Inn	Seminar	97.47
Robert A. Peterson, M.D.	Autopsy	125.00
Robert E. Pierce, M.D.	Autopsy	700.00
Pneumatology Assoc., Inc.	Supplies	15.38
Recreational Motors	Equip. repair	66.25
Riker Towing	Searches	30.00
County of Roscommon	2nd & 4th qtr. sal	2,411.60
Roscommon Herald News	Printing & binding	36.96
Sawaway Carpet	Maint.	20.00
Shell Oil Co.	Gas & Oil	8.05
A. Don Sorenson	Vets. burial	180.00
Star Office Supply, Inc.	Supplies	57.06
Steindler Paper Co.	Bldg. maint.	127.94
Trinity Print of Gaylord	Supplies	24.50
Wares Office Supply	Supplies	45.00
Boyd Williams, Inc.	Officer training	31.92
Xerox Corporation	Copier purchase & 9 Supp.	601.78
Horace L. Failing	Per Diem	20.00
Larry D. Hunter	Travel exp. & fees	61.36
Jeremy Jones	Per diem & mileage	25.40
Edith L. Kerr	Per Diem & mileage	24.50
Paul Lerg	Per Diem & mileage	20.90
Irving McIsaac	Per Diem	20.00
Walt Nowak	Per Diem	20.00
Hoy Papenhus	Per Diem	86.10
Albert Pochelon	Per Diem & mileage	40.20
Lawrence F. Wilson	Per Diem & mileage	52.60
Charles Brown	Travel Exp.	127.30
Howard Taylor	Salary & mileage	206.25
Gen. Telephone	Telephone	44.97
Joyce Easterly	Bldg. maint.	12.00
Grayling Automotive Parts	Vehicle repair	78.62

MOTION by Kauffman, second by Harland, that the report of the Finance Committee be accepted & approved. Roll Call. All Ayes. Carried.

The matter of providing Blue/Cross, Blue/Shield for the family of Ed Lowrie discussed.

MOTION by Harland, second by Bidvia, to extend the coverage of Ed Lowrie's Blue/Cross, Blue/Shield for a 90 day period, subject to verification by Blue Cross. All Ayes. Carried.

Bernie Fowler, Airport Manager gave an updated report on the operations at the Airport. Also brought to the Board an application for the Board's approval for the Airport to become a participating merchant for BankAmericard.

MOTION by Martindale, second by Bidvia, to have the County Clerk Lovely & the Airport Manager Fowler, sign this authorized signature Resolution for the Airport to be a participating merchant for use of Michigan BankAmericard. All Ayes. Carried.

Building & Zoning Director Roy Papenhus came before the Board in regards to the Board passing a Resolution to request the State of Michigan to conduct the mechanical inspections & enforce the State Mechanical Code.

MOTION by Failing, second by Kauffman, to adopt the Resolution on the State Uniform Mechanical Code for Crawford County. All Ayes. Carried.

**RESOLUTION**  
Re: State Uniform Mechanical Code

WHEREAS, the Michigan State Uniform Mechanical Code will be promulgated in July 1979; and

WHEREAS, all counties in the State of Michigan are requested to enforce said Code by January 1980; and

WHEREAS, Crawford County is in no financial position to hire the necessary personnel to enforce said Code; and

WHEREAS, at a regular meeting of the Crawford County Board of Commissioners held on December 11, 1978, action was taken to draft and execute this Resolution herein stated;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that Crawford County requests the State of Michigan to issue the mechanical permits for all construction in said County requiring same; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that Crawford County requests the Mechanical Inspector for the State of Michigan to conduct the mechanical inspections and enforce the State Mechanical Code for all construction in said County requiring same; and

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED, that Crawford County requests the State of Michigan to supply said County's Administrator of Act No. 230 with the necessary applications for mechanical permits, which will, in turn, be given out with all building permits which call for mechanical work that will need the above-mentioned inspection.

Dated: 12-11-78  
Lawrence Mattis, Vice Chairman  
Crawford County Board of Commissioners  
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Leo E. Lovely  
Crawford County Clerk

Treasurer Wakeley came before the Board with a request for transfer of funds in the 1978 budget.

MOTION by Harland, second by Bidvia, to transfer from the Treasury Budget, the remaining monies under Microfilm Supplies line item to the Register of Deeds line item Microfilm Supplies in the 1978 Budget. All Ayes. Carried.

Also informed the Board of a change in the law regarding Township retaining a fee for each dog license they sell. The Board can set the fee that the Townships can keep now.

MOTION by Failing, second by Harland, to allow the various Townships & City to keep .50 cents of the fee for each dog license they would sell. Roll Call Martindale-Abstain; All Others Ayes. Carried.

Treasurer requesting another transfer of funds.

MOTION by Kitchen, second by Failing, to transfer \$10,000.00 from the Child Care Fund to the Circuit Court Attorney Fees & the District Court Attorney fees line items in the 1978 budget. Roll Call. All Ayes. Carried.

MOTION by Bidvia, second by Failing, to transfer \$1500.00 from the Child Care Fund to the Circuit Court Attorney Fees & the District Court Attorney fees line items in the 1978 budget. Roll Call. All Ayes. Carried.

Be it noted at this time, that Commissioner's Kauffman, Failing, & Martindale turned in their keys to the County Building.

County Clerk Lovely spoke to the Board regarding COOR computer doing the 1979 Budget & Classification ledger for the

County.

MOTION by Harland, second by Kitchen, that we approve line item changes in the 1979 Budget so the Clerk's office may come under the State's numbering system code. Also that we have COOR do our classification ledger by material fed to them by Clerk's office & the changes will not effect the total dollar amount in any Dept. Any dollar amount item changes will be brought back to the Board for approval. Roll Call. All Ayes. Carried.

MOTION by Harland, second by Kauffman, that the Vice-Chairman be authorized to sign the Resolution on the State Uniform Mechanical Code for Crawford County. All Ayes. Carried.

Commissioner Kauffman presented a plaque & a certificate of appreciation to Jan Cornell for her many years of service to Crawford County.

As there is no further business to come before this Board, Vice-Chairman Mattis recessed the meeting until Wednesday Dec. 13th, at 9:30 A.M.

Meeting of the Crawford County Board of Commissioners continued & held in the Courthouse in the City of Grayling on the 13th day of December 1978.

Called to order by Vice-Chairman Mattis at 9:45 A.M.

Roll Call: Bidvia, Harland, Kitchen, Mattis-Present. Failing, Kauffman & Martindale-Absent.

Visitors: Jackie Bonkowski, Harrison Goodhue, Walt Nowak, Charles Fox, Bob Smith, Jerry Modford, Bernie Fowler, Mark Kesteloot, Al Schreiner, Rod Denley, Bob Bovee, Fred Schaibly, Jan Cornell.

The meeting was opened for a hearing regarding the 4th year pre-application for HUD funding.

Each representative from the various townships & the city & the Sr. Citizen Center spoke to their needs for these funds in their areas.

Ms. Cornell went over the application & how the funds would be assigned to the various areas.

Recess for 10 minutes.

Meeting reconvened with Rod Denley & Bob Bovee of the Youth Service Bureau asking the Board to provide supplies & the use of the Xerox copy machine to that office.

MOTION by Kitchen, second by Bidvia, to approve \$10.00 per month for supplies for the Youth Service Bureau.

MOTION by Harland, To Table any action on the Youth Service Bureau request until Finance Committee can take this request under consideration.

Bernie Fowler, Airport Manager updated the Board on a hearing he had attended in regards to Grayling Air, Inc.

Further discussion held on the pre-application for the HUD 4th year funding. Ms. Cornell will be preparing & submitting the pre-application for the County.

MOTION by Harland, second by Kitchen, that due to the resignation of the District #5 Commissioner, that Jackie Bonkowski be appointed to fill that vacancy on the Board of Commissioners. All Ayes. Carried.

The bills of the several commissioners were allowed at this time:

Commissioner	PerDiem	Salary	Reimbursements
Matthew Bidvia	170.00	100.00	14.25
Rolla Failing	200.00	100.00	24.30
Fred Kauffman	180.00	100.00	less-5.40
Jeanette Kitchen	100.00	100.00	.60
Edwin Martindale	90.00	100.00	15.00
Lawrence Mattis	150.00	100.00	23.10
Mary Harland	200.00	100.00	13.50

Vice-Chairman Mattis adjourned the meeting at 12:00.  
Lawrence Mattis, Vice-Chairman  
Leo E. Lovely, Clerk

## Social Services Board Meeting

November 27, 1978

303 James Street, Grayling, Michigan

The November meeting of the Crawford County Social Services Board was called to order by the Chairperson, Mrs. McNamara, on November 27, 1978, at 9:30 a.m. in the Department Office. Members present were Maureen McNamara, Johanna Gorman and Carol Wert.

The minutes of the October 23, 1978, meeting were discussed and approved on a motion by Mr. Wert, seconded by Mrs. Gorman.

Master Vouchers (#8075-8138) for October, 1978, were approved on a motion by Mrs. McNamara, seconded by Mrs. Gorman.

The following bills were approved for payment on a motion by Mrs. Gorman, seconded by Mr. Wert:

Glen's Market	Food for burned-out family	\$25.70
Northern Fire & Safety	fire extinguisher serv.	4.00
Mac's Drug Store	film	13.18
Chief Shoppenagons	meeting room for interviews	59.00
Cadillac Overall Supply	maint. supplies	9.70
Grayling Office Supply	office supplies	4.00
McLean's Promart	supplies	7.88

**OLD BUSINESS**

Mr. Porter informed the Board of progress of the new building. Paneling colors and carpet selection have been made. A meeting with the builder and various staff members of the Department of Social Services and the Department of Management and Budget are scheduled to meet on Friday, December 1, 1978, for a building progress meeting. More information will be available after this meeting.

Mrs. Thomas presented the Board members photocopies of a memorandum she had received from Ray Hanthorn, Area III Manager. The memorandum requested information for a state-wide directory. Mrs. Thomas will submit the necessary information.

The Board discussed the vandalism problem when state cars are left in the office parking area during weekends and night-time hours. Mr. Porter is to check with the local Department of Natural Resources office on the possibility of leaving the cars in their fenced enclosure during these problem hours.

**NEW BUSINESS**

A motion by Mr. Wert, seconded by Mrs. McNamara, gave approval for the Director to authorize purchase of the requested furniture and equipment for the new building.

Mr. Porter briefly explained the Purchase of Services Contract with United People. The contract would cover training of Parent Aides and cost \$1139.00. The Parent Aides work mainly with parents in Protective Services cases. Mrs. McNamara signed the contract.

Mrs. Thomas informed the Board of the need to update the County Hospitalization policy. An updated policy should cover definitions of emergencies and set standards of coverage. Mrs. Thomas was asked to research this matter and made a recommendation to the Board at a future meeting.

Mrs. McNamara stated the MCSSA Mid-Winter Conference is scheduled for February 21-22, 1979.

The Board held the annual reorganization of officers. On a motion by Mrs. Gorman, seconded by Mr. Wert, Mrs. McNamara was selected as Board Chairperson. Mrs. Gorman was chosen as Vice-Chairperson on a motion by Mr. Wert, seconded by Mrs. McNamara.

Mrs. Thomas was requested to ask an employee to attend the December meeting in order for the Board members to become more familiar with staff members and their associated duties. The Board requested Richard Mansfield attend the next meeting to discuss his responsibilities with the Housing & Program.

Other than the regularly scheduled Board meetings, all Board members attended the following meetings during the past month:

October 26, 1978—MCSSA District II Meeting in Grayling (full day)

October 27, 1978—Interviews for the County Director vacancy (half day)

Mrs. McNamara attended the following meetings:

October 24, 1978—Rural Affairs Committee in Grayling (full day)

November 15, 1978—Meeting with G.A. Committee of MCSSW as liaison for MCSSA in Lansing (full day)

November 16, 1978—MCSSA, Board of Directors in Lansing (full day)

The next Board meeting is scheduled for December 18, 1978, at 9:30 a.m.

There being no further business to come before the Board, the meeting was adjourned at 12:24 p.m. on a motion by Mrs. Gorman, seconded by Mrs. McNamara.

Chairperson: Mrs. Maureen McNamara  
Vice-Chairperson: Mrs. Johanna Gorman  
Member: Carol Wert

Secretary  
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Son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Colleen of Rt. 1, Box KW2394, Grayling; Joey age 6 months shown above.



Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Hawkins, P.O. Box 213, Grayling; Laura age 1, shown above.



Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ron Hall, of Rt. 5, Box 5440, Grayling; Jessica age 2, shown above.



Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bigler of Rt. 1, Box 1555, Grayling; Heather Lee age 8, shown above.



Daughter of Mrs. D. MacLarlane of 49 Date Street, Grayling; Amanda age 3, shown above.



Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. Wyman of Rt. 3, Box 3124, Grayling; Alison, age 8 shown above.

## Bits O' Talk

by Fay Bovee

Holly Knibbs was met by her mother, Mary Jane Knibbs, and sister, Nancy Rosenberg, and Michael Elliott at Metro Airport on Sunday, December 17, on her return from York, England. Holly is at home for an indefinite time. Arriving for the holidays were Jim Knibbs of Petoskey, Nancy Rosenberg and Michael Elliott of Ann Arbor.

Cindy Chappell of Petoskey spent the holiday weekend with her parents. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Chappell, and was also a guest at the Knibbs home.

Word has been received here by Mrs. George Hanson, of the death of Polly Hammond of Trenton, Tenn. Her death was sudden and she was found several hours later in her home by her sister on September 15, 1978. Polly was an employee of Les and Mary Welch in the former Baringer's store and will be remembered as a very pleasant employee of that store.

Michelle Dosch of Billingsham, Washington, is spending a week over the holidays with her parents. Dr. and Mrs. Paul Dosch.

## OBITUARIES

### Services Held For Mrs. Kate Charron, 71

Mrs. Kate Charron, 71, of Frederic, passed away December 24, 1978 at Munson Medical Center in Traverse City. Funeral services were held Wednesday, December 27, 1978 at 1:00 p.m. at Sorenson Funeral Home with Reverend Robert Taylor officiating. Burial was in Oakwood Cemetery in Frederic.

Mrs. Charron was born in Pontiac, Michigan on April 9, 1907. She had been a resident of Frederic for 65 years. Kate had been married to Leland for eighteen years, who survives.

Others surviving include two sons, Eugene Harmer of Fred and Douglas Harmer of Flint a daughter, Mrs. Jack (Doris) Bigham, also of Frederic, one brother, one sister, 9 grandchildren and 6 great-grandchildren.

Palbearers were Jim Madill, Marlin Weaver, Allen Lang, Jim Verlinde, Bill Moody and Bob Seiers.

### Services Held For John Baker, 60

John M. Baker, 60, died on Wednesday, December 20, 1978 at Mercy Hospital. Funeral services were held at St. Mary's Catholic Church, of which he was a member, at 10:00 a.m., Friday, December 22, 1978 with Rev. Fr. T. A. Neis officiating. Burial was in Elmwood Cemetery.

Mr. Baker was born in Detroit on May 18, 1918, moving to Grayling in April 1961. He was owner and operator of the Triangle Motel for nine years and had been employed by Whipple Photo for five years.

John was a member of the V.F.W., Royal Oak and the American Legion Post 106.

Survivors include his wife, Mary; his mother, Mrs. Bernice Baker of Warren; a daughter, Mrs. Robert (Catherine) Vollmer; a sister, Mrs. Mildred Kalfayan of Oxford; and one grandchild.

Military rites were under the auspices of the 1071st Maintenance and 1438th Engineer Units of the Michigan National Guard, and the American Legion Post 106.

Palbearers were Frank Urbanski, Walter Mazurek, Joseph Mazurek, Bob Vollmer, Bob Wargo and Bob Wargo, Jr.

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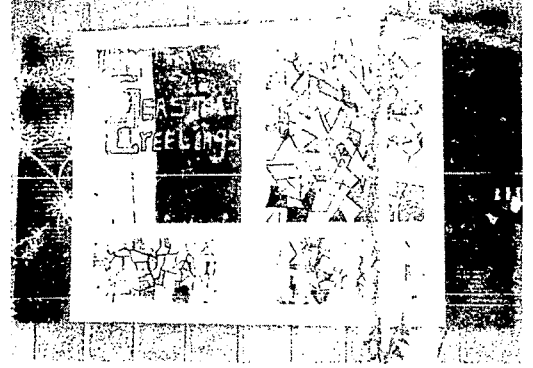
## Christmas Decoration Contest Winners



SANTA CLAUS appears to be saying, "Boy, Am I Tired!!", as he paused for a moment before the Kip Papendick residence on his annual route to touch the hearts of kids throughout the Grayling area. This display won first place in this year's annual Home Decorating Contest, sponsored by the Downtown Merchants Association.



ONLY A PART OF the Joe LaGrow decorating entry is shown here... but the message remains clear... "Season's Greetings to One and All". This entry won second place.



THE LIGHTS OF CHRISTMAS was the theme displayed at the Jan and Dave Reynolds residence on Glenn Road, third place winners, displaying the Christmas spirit for everyone to enjoy (Joe Schrader photos)

## KCC Invitational Titled Successful

The Kirtland Community College Royal Archers held their first invitational Archery Meet on December 9, 1978. Despite a rather poor turnout (due to inclement weather), the meet went well. Nine men and three women participated. Jonette McNicols, KCC Archers, placed first in the women's competition, with Marly Niebert, also from KCC, placing second. In the men's competition, Earl and Glenn Meyers, father and son from the Detroit area, placed first and second respectively. Karl Kersch, a KCC archer, placed third. It is expected that the tournament next year will be a bigger and better event.

## Bowling Leagues

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